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Terms Seizure Of Prisoners A Gallant Affair

Prime Minister
Says Norway Fails
In Neutral Status

By J. C. STARK
LONDON, Feb. 20.—(P)—Norway was accused today by Prime Minister Chamberlain of failing in her duties as a neutral and of displaying "complete indifference" to the use which the German fleet might make of her waters.

Chamberlain told the house of commons that Norwegian authorities three or four times failed to make the proper inspection of the prison ship Almark, from which 299 British prisoners were rescued by the British destroyer Cossack last Friday.

Norway's view that the Almark was a warship and thus not subject to search would legalize the German fleet's use of neutral waters creating a precedent Britain "could in no circumstances accept."

Terms Seizure Gallant
Prime Minister Chamberlain today described Britain's seizure of 299 prisoners from the German prison ship Almark in Norwegian waters as "a very gallant act" and expressed confidence that the house of commons would "want to congratulate the royal navy."

Chamberlain declared it now appears Norwegian authorities had made no examination whatever of the Almark when she reached Norwegian waters.

Chamberlain told a cheering house that "the Norwegian authorities have displayed complete indifference as to the use which might be made of their territorial waters by the German fleet."

He termed the statement of Norwegian Foreign Minister Halvdan Koht that the Norwegian authorities did not know British prisoners were aboard the Almark "most surprising," since reports to that effect were published weeks ago.

Not once but "three or four times," Chamberlain said, Norway failed to carry out a proper investigation of the Almark.

It was not until after Norway failed to investigate, Chamberlain said, "that his majesty's ships took action."

"It is claimed that if they had not done so, the ship would have been allowed to complete her voyage without let or hindrance and without inquiry into the circumstances."

The Norwegian view appeared to be that the Almark was a warship and that no request to search her could be made, Chamberlain continued.

According to Koht, he said, Norway saw no objection to a German warship using her territorial waters to convey British prisoners to a German prison camp.

This, Chamberlain added, in the British government's view would legalize the abuse by German warships of neutral waters and "create a position his majesty's government could in no circumstances accept."

The house cheered as Chamberlain said that even if Norway's "indifference was due to German pressure it is nevertheless in the view of his majesty's government inconsistent with the active and impartial exercise of the duty of a neutral toward ourselves as belligerents."

**Industry Meet
On Wednesday**
A large number of business men, interested in the problems that affect industry, are expected to assemble in Sedalia Wednesday, at a meeting of the Associated Industries of Missouri. It will be convened at Hotel Bothwell at 4:30 o'clock, followed about 6:30 with a banquet in the ambu sador room.

Charles Van Dyne, as vice-president of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce, will open the meeting, which will probably be presided over by Elmer Donnell, of St. Louis, executive vice-president of the organization.

Dr. Ralph T. Compton, St. Louis, director of research for the organization, and one of the best informed men on the unemployment compensation law will talk on "How Business May Protect Itself Under Its Provisions."

C. S. Cullenbine, also of St. Louis, will outline measures before congress that will affect industry.

There will be other speakers and discussions participated in by those attending. Every member of the Sedalia Chamber of Commerce has an invitation, and many will attend.

Counties, to which invitations have been sent, are Johnson, Henry, Lafayette, Saline, Cooper, Morgan, Moniteau, Carroll and Howard.

**Public Offices Be
Closed on Thursday**
The offices in the court house and city hall will be closed Thursday, Washington's birthday.

Two Burglaries Monday Night

The Central Business College was robbed and about \$20 taken some time Monday night or early this morning, according to a report made to police headquarters. A lock was pried off the safe and its contents as well as the contents of a wall cabinet were scattered over the floor. It is believed a sneak thief may have been concealed in the building or had a key to the door.

Another report to police headquarters was from Jack Funk, whose refrigeration equipment place at 104 East Fifth street, had been broken into. So far as Mr. Funk could ascertain nothing had been taken. Entrance was gained from floors above, which it is believed were entered by climbing a telephone pole and using a window.

Council Burns \$3,595 Worth Canceled Bonds

Routine Matters
Up In Meeting
Monday Night

Seven members of the city council and Mayor Julian H. Bagby met in regular session Monday night, having a brief meeting since there were only a few matters to be considered. A. L. Bohling, of the fourth ward was absent.

The city clerk, J. M. Bailey, reported that \$3595 worth of city judgment funding bonds had been paid off, and the bonds were burned.

Permission was given Charles Gentry, trustee under the Jones-Munger law, to sell a piece of property near Mill and Boonville, for \$85. The property is assessed at \$70, and there is \$13.57 in taxes due. It had been purchased by the city at the delinquent tax property sale.

Granted Beer License
Cliff Miller was granted a license to sell 3.2 beer at 506 West Sixteenth street. When the application was read Dr. F. M. Fulkerson asked that it be held up for a week, and his motion was seconded by Elmer Summers. Dr. Fulkerson gave as a reason that there had been numerous complaints of places formerly operated in that neighborhood.

A. J. Knipp and S. J. Timburius both spoke for Miller. Miller, who was present at the meeting addressed the council, saying that if he found it impossible to operate the place in the proper way the council would not have to order him to close, he would cease operating it himself.

Expresses Appreciation
The Y. and L. Drug store, 231 South Ohio avenue, was given a permit to sell package liquor, and Margaret Finkland, 317 East St. Louis street, was granted a permit to sell 3.2 beer.

Frank A. Adams, on behalf of the residents of near Tenth street and Thompson avenue expressed appreciation for a new light on that corner.

**Post Office To Be Closed
Washington's Birthday**
Thursday, February 22 being a legal holiday all windows at the post office will be closed for the entire day.

There will be no city or rural delivery. Special delivery mail will be delivered, all mail will be dispatched and in addition to the regular collection over the city beginning at 7:05 p. m. there will be a collection made in the down town district at 11:00 a. m.—Edw. P. Mullaley, Postmaster.

**Twenty-Five
Years Ago Today**
By The Associated Press
Feb. 20, 1915.—United States sends mediatory note to Great Britain and Germany on blockade restrictions.

Where British Officers Grounded 'Almark'
German prison ship "Almark" is pictured wedged fast between snow-covered rocks in the Josing Fjord, on the bleak Norwegian coast where she ran aground after one of the officers of a boarding crew from the British destroyer Cossack singlehandedly took over the ship's wheel and ran her onto the rocks. 326 British seamen, held prisoner on the Almark, were rescued. This picture transmitted to Berlin, radioed to New York, and thence telephotoed. (ACME TELEPHOTO)

**Memorial Be Held
For Justice Butler**
KANSAS CITY, Feb. 20.—(P)—The eighth United States Circuit Court of Appeals will hold a memorial session here March 4 for the late Justice Pierce Butler of the United States Supreme Court.

**Life Term For
Marshal Slayer**
WARSAW, Mo., Feb. 20.—(P)—Charles Peterson, 19-year-old ex-convict, was sentenced to life imprisonment by Circuit Judge C. A. Calverd today for the slaying of Fred J. Leavitt, Bolivar city marshal, on the night of September 26, 1939.

He was convicted by a Benton county jury in December. The case was brought here from Polk county on a change of venue. Judge Calverd overruled a motion for new trial before passing sentence. Peterson's attorneys served notice of appeal.

**May Force Issue
On Finnish Aid**
OSLO, Norway, Feb. 20.—(P)—The chief editor of the Norwegian newspaper Tidens Tegn reported from Stockholm that military leaders in Sweden may force an issue on the demand for direct aid to Finland, causing a political crisis which may even lead to the abdication of King Gustaf.

(Swedish reports from Stockholm indicated today King Gustaf's declaration supporting the government's decision not to give Finland direct military aid had averted a political crisis. Opponents of the government's policy suspended activities, saying they couldn't go against the king.

Although admitting the matter rests in conjecture, the newspaper's dispatch said, "It may happen that Swedish military circles, the majority of which want intervention in Finland, will press for a decision, a sort of a coup d'etat, and that this will lead to the present king's abdication."

The newspaper said that in event of King Gustaf's abdication, the Swedish crown prince undoubtedly would assume the throne with a new cabinet.

Guards Stay In Barracks At New Orleans

Violence In Hot
Primary Thus Far
Is Sporadic

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 20.—(P)—National guardsmen remained in barracks today as only scattered cases of violence were reported in the second Democratic primary to decide whether the 12-year-old political dynasty established by Huey P. Long topples or survives.

Weather was fair and cool over the state.

Voters estimated at almost half a million cast ballots either for Governor Earl K. Long, brother of the late Huey, or Attorney Sam Jones of Lake Charles. Voting hours were from 6 a. m. to 7 p. m., Central Standard Time.

Governor Long mobilized the militia to "preserve peace, law and order," but the guardsmen were amusing themselves playing games in barracks while the voting went on.

There were scores of reports of minor political disturbances. One was that Sam Zemurray, Jr., son of the head of the United Fruit Company and a former Tulane university boxer working for Jones had been knocked down and kicked and that a companion had been similarly attacked.

Noe Has Brigade
State Senator James A. Noe, a Jones supporter who organized a "Jackson brigade" of ex-service men to watch for poll irregularities, was asked by a Long official near noon if he "had hit anyone yet." He replied, "No, but I will if I have to."

Long, commenting on Noe's brigade, said they would not be permitted "to intimidate and browbeat the people." He asserted he would not use the militia if Noe demobilized his brigade.

Long asserted his soldiers would be armed with machine guns and gas equipment. Noe said his would be equipped with cameras to record any suspected voting frauds.

In addition, the New Orleans election arbitration committee, charged with settling poll disputes, appointed 1,600 armed special police.

The federal government, whose political scandal investigations helped smash the former dictatorship, kept an eye on the election. Assistant U. S. Attorney General O. John Rogge, who directed the scandal inquiries, said any reported irregularities involving federal laws would be investigated in this primary as in the first.

Last month Long led the field of five candidates with 226,385 votes. Jones polled 154,936. Noe received 116,564; Attorney James N. Morrison of Hammond, 48,186; and Attorney Vincent Moseley of Opelousas, 7,595. Noe swung to Jones but Morrison and Moseley remained noncommittal.

**Miss Young Named
Republican Chairman**
Miss Juanita Young, clerk of the probate court, was named chairman of the Republican city committee to replace Matt Holtzman, whose resignation was read and accepted at a meeting of the committee Monday night at the court house.

Holtzman resigned on account of ill health.

The dates for the precinct caucuses was set for March 15 and the city convention will be held March 16 in the circuit court room of the court house at 7:30 o'clock that evening.

It was announced at the meeting that Herbert Berlin will be a candidate for the nomination for city collector.

**Survey Widened
By President**
ABOARD THE U. S. S. LANG. AT SEA, Feb. 20.—(P)—Sunburned from fishing under a scorching sky, President Roosevelt combined business with pleasure today by extending his explorations of the Pacific canal zone defense possibilities.

Keenly and plain-spokenly interested in how these defenses tie in with a broader policy of Central American and full hemisphere defense, the president told a press conference aboard the U. S. S. Tuscaloosa yesterday his trip bore a special relation to distant rather than nearby canal protection.

He widened the scope of his survey by visiting several Pacific points yesterday, but during a discussion of defense problems bound newsmen to secrecy. He asked that in the cause of public interest no mention be made of the specific localities visited.

Asked whether he would meet European statesmen during the cruise, he laughed in a manner indicating there was nothing to the report.

**Mysteries Of A
Cult Probed**
Explanation On
Violent Death Of
Child Is Sought
MONTEBELLO, Calif., Feb. 20.—(P)—Detectives probed the mysteries of an obscure religious cult today, seeking to explain the violent death of five year old Geraldine Hardaker.

The child, her head crushed and her body scratched and bleeding, was found in a city park restroom late yesterday.

Police ordered a search for her mother, attractive Mrs. Betty Hardaker, 25, with whom they were informed Geraldine left home yesterday morning.

Smash Soviet Move To Cross Lake On Ice

Reds Contend The
Defense Line Will Be
Broken By Friday

HELSINKI, Feb. 20.—(P)—The smashing of a Russian attempt to advance across the ice of Lake Suunto on the Karelian isthmus and the repulse of other attacks in the Verdun-like battle below Viipuri were reported today by the Finnish high command.

The daily communique also reported "continued clearing up of bases taken from the enemy" northeast of Lake Ladoga, where yesterday the Finns reported the destruction of the Red army's 18th division.

It told of the capture of a few strong points in fighting with the Russian detachments in the Kuumo area, about halfway up the long boundary line.

On the great 20-day-old battle below Viipuri, where the Russians have reported their advance units within a few miles of the city, the communique said grimly:

"On the isthmus enemy attacks continued between the Gulf of Finland and Lake Muola. The attacks were repulsed."

At the opposite, or eastern, end of the Karelian isthmus, the Finns reported heavy losses inflicted on the Russian when "an attack in great force" was repulsed at Taipale.

Shell Fire On Viipuri
As Soviet artillery sent shells screaming amid ruined buildings of Viipuri today, the Finns claimed that embattled city as a definite section of the fighting front.

The City, which once vied with Tampere for title as Finland's second largest, is not necessarily in immediate danger of capture, an informant said, but the Red Army penetration of Mannerheim line defenses has subjected it to regular shell fire, and aerial bombings have been redoubled.

Most of the 74,000 population was removed before the Russian invasion began Nov. 30. Last week, the remaining handful departed, leaving only those persons necessary to military operations.

A Finnish spokesman said new Karelian isthmus defense positions to which the Finns were forced to withdraw were "sound" and that Russian attacks on them had been repulsed. The line was described

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**Will Add More
Men To WPA**
Starting early in March all available certified men will be put to work on WPA projects, Ralph G. Mathewson, area engineer of Pettis county, announces.

This will continue until the latter part of April when the working forces will probably be decreased, he said.

All projects will be kept open six days a week instead of four according to present plans. The men will be divided into three groups and work in rotation. The change is to go into effect within a few days.

"The funds on the present county road project will be depleted March 18, but new funds have already been approved for continuation of the work," Mathewson said.

**Federation To
Act On Order**
The Sedalia Federation of Labor will meet at 7:30 tonight at the labor hall to take action on the order of the American Federation of Labor, expelling the local typographical union from membership in the Sedalia federation.

This order was sent out from the national federation after the meeting of the American Federation of Labor executive board, at Miami, Fla., where action expelling the International Typographical Union was taken after the typographical union refused to pay a special assessment.

There is considerable speculation among the several unions as to whether the local federation will comply with the order from headquarters.

**Turkey Repast
At The Nursery**
The children of the Melita Day Nursery are going to have a good dinner Thursday, Washington's birthday. The boys of the SOS club are presenting them with two turkeys, to weigh about ten pounds each, four quarts of cranberries, and ice cream for dessert. They have conferred with the superintendent of the institution and learned that they have on hand vegetables and other edibles that will make up a delicious dinner for the little ones.

The SOS club is composed of sixteen youths, high school age. Jack Kreiser is its president.

Advocate Trade Pact Program Of U.S.A. Be Renewed

Attack Ships
From The Air

LONDON, Feb. 20.—(P)—Widespread German warplane attacks on shipping off Britain's east coast were reported today.

Radio operators said they heard the SOS of at least one vessel.

A lifeboat was put out on receipt of word that Nazi bombing planes were blasting at steamers about 30 miles out to sea.

Attacks on ships were reported off the coast of Northumberland, Lincoln and Suffolk.

Machine-gun fire was heard in Essex and residents of that section hurried to shelter as an air raid warning sounded. The all clear signal was given 50 minutes later.

**Schram States
Loans Held Up
Pending Probe**
Denies RFC Had
Agreement, 'Acting
As It Saw Fit.'

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—(P)—Emil Schram, chairman of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation, said today the RFC had ordered loan disbursements temporarily withheld from three companies which the labor board accused of violating the Wagner act.

He gave the information to the house committee investigating the labor board. Edmund M. Toland, committee counsel, has accused the board of attempting to "blackjack" employers by asking other government agencies to withhold contracts and the like from alleged Wagner act violators.

Toland disclosed that the committee had obtained records of the treasury, interior and labor departments and the securities and exchange commission in an effort to determine whether they had taken any action against alleged violators.

These records were obtained, he said, in response to subpoenas served yesterday upon cabinet members and other officials of

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**Welles To Talk
With Mussolini**
ROME, Feb. 20.—(P)—Sumner Welles, United States undersecretary of state, probably will be received by Premier Mussolini Monday, the day after his arrival in Rome, Fascist officials said today.

Welles, en route to survey European conditions for President Roosevelt, will be entertained by Foreign Minister Ciano Galeazzo Ciano Sunday night at a state banquet.

Welles, after talking to Mussolini, is expected to leave Rome immediately but after visiting Berlin, Paris and London, may return here.

**Gloria Vanderbilt Promises
To Be Glamorous 'Deb'**
By Mary Elizabeth Plummer
NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—(P)—Gloria Laura Morgan Vanderbilt is 16 today—nearly the age at which her beautiful mother was married.

But young Gloria, heiress to \$4,200,000 and the coming star of her generation of Vanderbilts, has two years to go before her formal entrance into the social whirl in which the older Gloria, barely 16, met Reginald Vanderbilt, the dashing sportsman.

"She won't make her debut until she is 18, and if she wants to go to college when she gets to that age, she'll go," says her mother, who wed the late Reggie when she was 17½ and became a widow at 20.

"We are anxious for her to live a normal, happy life like other girls her age. My child isn't a moving picture actress."

From all indications, young Gloria is going to be the most glamorous New York debutante since Brenda Diana Duff Frazier set a sort of all-time high last season.

She has all the requisites; wealth (her personal annual allowance is \$25,750), a great name and a photogenic face.

She is now in a private school at Providence, R. I., but during her New York holidays has been a popular rumba partner on her first night club excursions.

Her plans for observing today's birthday anniversary were guarded closely by the school.

Has Detective Guard

She leaves the school infrequently, and when she does she is generally guarded by a private detective. Occasionally she visits her second cousin, Governor William H. Vanderbilt of Rhode Island, and Mrs. Vanderbilt at their Portsmouth (R. I.) home.

From a chubby child who perched on a rail to watch Long Island horse shows, she suddenly shot up into a slim dark beauty not unlike her mother at 16.

In the last two years, her life has been much more tranquil than in 1934, when her mother and her aunt, Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney, widow of the multi-millionaire financier, battled for her custody at hearings which filled 24,000 pages of court records.

At 11, she ate her birthday cake at her aunt's Long Island home while her mother tended a dress shop.

Mrs. Whitney won the court fight, and in the succeeding years, little Gloria shuttled between two homes, spending week ends with her mother.

Her first sub-deb parties, in silk stockings and grown-up clothes, were under her aunt's supervision, but recently she has chosen to spend much time with her mother.

In the eyes of the Vanderbilt clan, she is now a young lady, as was proved by her presence a few months ago at a reception given by her aunt Grace — Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt — the nearest approximation to a reigning queen in New York society.

**The Weather
Noozie**
Cloudy, becoming fair in west, snow in extreme east early tonight; somewhat colder tonight; Wednesday fair, slightly warmer in west in afternoon.

**Lake of Ozarks
Stage**
10.2 feet below full reservoir.

Phases Of The Moon
New moon February 8; First quarter February 16; Full moon February 23; Last quarter February 29.

Sunrise and Sunset
Sunrise 7:02 a. m.; sunset 6:00 p. m.

The Temperature
The temperature at 7 a. m. was 31 degrees above zero; 33 at noon and 33 at 3 p. m.



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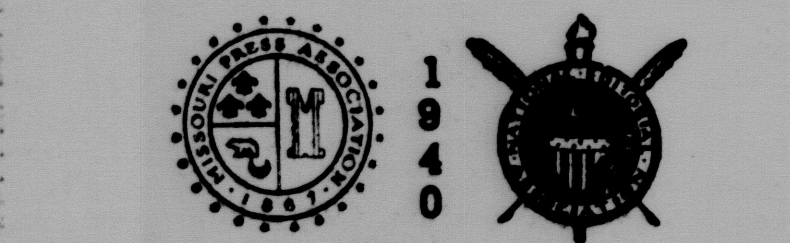
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American Nomads Can't Be Ignored

Ever since the first colonists had a chance to get their bearings, there has been migration over the American continent. The United States was built and welded together by restless pioneers who hated to see grass growing under their feet. They kept moving until they reached the Pacific ocean and couldn't go any farther; so they settled around a while and finally settled down.

Even after the general tide of westward migration subsided, there were always substantial numbers of people who pulled up roots because opportunities at the old places had run out, and they set off to find greener pastures. There were jobs to go around almost everywhere and there was plenty of arable land, so no one cared when migrants came into a section to settle. For a teeming nation like the United States, a certain amount of population shifting was even desirable to balance normal industrial fluctuations and declines in certain areas.

Before the depression and the drought, there were no Joads of the "Grapes of Wrath" variety. No one thought about migration. It wasn't a problem then.

When depression hit, it spread all over the country. Drought in the west and middle west further jeopardized the livelihoods of people in those sections. Americans had always been used to moving away when there was nothing left to do in the old place, and so they moved—millions of them.

What they didn't count on was that everyone else was moving, too, and that conditions in other parts of the land weren't any better than they were at home. People were no longer hospitable to migrants. Every newcomer was another competitor for the few jobs available. Certain states, more heavily invaded by the depression pioneers than others, found it necessary to pass laws, restricting the privileges of the newcomers.

Soon, the nomads found themselves worse off than they had been in their own homes. Not only had they lost their rights in the states they left, but they were unable to acquire new rights until they had lived in new states for long periods of time—in some cases, for five years. There was no work for them, and they were unable to get relief. Forced to keep moving, they became social outcasts—citizens without citizenship. Their children were deprived of education, brought up with an unwholesome outlook on life in general.

According to Philip E. Ryan, who has just completed a study for the Russell Sage Foundation of New York, seething population movements are likely to continue long after employment conditions improve. Natural conditions in several sections of the country make it impossible for all the people there to make a living. It has been estimated that between 1,500,000 and 6,000,000 persons will be forced to move from the old cotton belt if the rest are to earn their livelihoods.

Better welfare conditions for migrants, removal of some state barriers may eventually become necessary. Under any circumstances, some attention will have to be given this problem soon. It will not take care of itself. The matter requires some thoughtful planning.

When The Fire Engines Go By

Few of us ever get over that juvenile urge to follow the fire engines. It's a thrill to hear the sirens, and see the great red wagons clang by.

But that thrill wouldn't last long if the fire engines led you to your house, and you found it in flames. And the surge of excitement would die an early death if the fire razed the factory or the store in which you worked. Every fire, great or small, brings trouble to some one. And a high percentage of fires leave stark tragedy in their wake—loss of life, loss of employment, loss of possessions which never can be replaced. There are no mitigating qualities in fire. It is the great destroyer.

More than that, the effects of fire are exceedingly widespread. A fire of which you never heard may deprive you of an opportunity for doing business. It may raise your taxes and your insurance rate. It may adversely affect your future life and income.

Here in America fire destroys some \$300,000,000 worth of property directly each year. The indirect loss is estimated at close to \$2,000,000,000. There can be no excuse for that waste, no alibi. Nine fires out of ten are the result of human ignorance, human carelessness, human thoughtlessness. Nine fires out of ten could have been prevented—had someone not failed to take the simple precautions that will checkmate most fires.

Think of this next time you see fire engines go by or smoke and flames rising from a home or a building. Then ask yourself if fire prevention is worth while.

The Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Drew Pearson and Robert S. Allen

WASHINGTON—While Dewey, Taft, Vandenberg and other GOP hopefuls are making newspaper headlines, a shadowy figure is moving quietly and determinedly behind the scenes. It is ex-President Herbert Hoover.

Since assuming command of the Finnish relief drive, Hoover has carefully avoided outward political activity. But under cover he has both hands deep in the Republican pie in pursuit of his ambition to wipe out his crushing 1932 defeat. This ambition, as described by a close friend, is aimed at three objectives in the following order:

1. To secure adoption of a Republican platform vindicating his regime and advocating his economic and fiscal theories, particularly on gold. To this end, he has already chalked up one significant victory in the still unpublished report (Merry-Go-Round, Feb. 1) of the Glenn Frank Program Committee which shows every evidence of having been strongly influenced by Hoover.
2. To have a controlling voice in the selection of the party's standard bearer.
3. If possible, to capture the nomination himself.

No. 1 and No. 2 are Mr. Hoover's primary aims, according to his friend, and he is concentrating his major efforts on them. He appreciates that the odds are heavy against his capturing the nomination himself, but he doesn't consider this impossible.

If he can shape the platform and be in a position to swing delegate strength, then he might, in the event of a deadlock, pull a stampee and grab the prize.

Abortive 1936 Coup
Only a few insiders know it, but Herbert Hoover attempted exactly that strategy at the 1936 Cleveland convention.

He had come to Cleveland with a speech calculated to wow the delegates. Also, his lieutenants had spotted four bands in the lobbies outside the hall and had a large corps of clackers with duplicate state banners all ready for a tumultuous Hoover demonstration. Furthermore, his emissaries had buttonholed New York and Pennsylvania delegates that morning and urged them not to caucus until after Hoover made his speech that night.

"Things may be a lot different after that speech," they argued.

But alert Landon managers got wind of these plans and swung into action. They persuaded New York and Pennsylvania to hold their caucus and pledge their big voting blocs for Landon. Landon men also took measures to see to it that there would be no run-away Hoover demonstration.

The precautions were effective. Hoover made his speech, irreverently tagged by some as "Hoover's Cross of Gold." He got a big hand. But that was all. When later he tried to return to the rostrum he was courteously but firmly stopped by Landonites and his planted demonstration never materialized. Hoover returned to his hotel and, cancelling train reservations, remained over night, hoping against hope that his break would come.

But the Landon forces were too well organized. They had the convention firmly in hand and Hoover didn't have a look-in. They wrote the platform as they wanted it and picked Alf's running mate.

Different This Year
But this year, with the race wide open, Hoover is maneuvering so that things shall be different.

He will be at the convention in person, will marshal his own forces, and intends to have a big say in everything that is done. Behind the scenes, he and lieutenants all over the country have been busy for weeks quietly mobilizing their forces. They are particularly active in the Mid-West where the lack of favorite son candidates and the desire of state leaders to go to the convention with free hands are playing into Hoover's plans.

Hoover leaders secretly are urging uninstructed delegations headed by men known as friendly to him.

Merry-Go-Round
When the President makes a speech he keeps his place on the manuscript with two fingers of his left hand. They move from line to line as he reads down the page. He uses his right hand to grasp the rostrum. . . In preparation for the forthcoming congressional primaries, the Townsends have set up a special committee to pass on all candidates. Head of the body is Dr. Francis Townsend. Other members are his young son, Robert, and L. W. Jeffery, vice-president of the movement. . . Asked to allow her name to be used as sponsor of a negro concert in Washington, Mrs. Burton K. Wheeler, wife of the Montana Senator, snapped, "Don't you know better than to ask a thing like that in a presidential year?" and hung up.

Brazilian Diplomacy
For seven years, trade agreement discussions were held, off and on, between the United States and Argentina. Finally they broke down. Last month, Argentina signed a trade agreement with Brazil after discussion lasting exactly three days.

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Looking Backward Forty Years Ago

The Republican congressional committee of the seventh district meeting at noon today selected Sedalia as the place of holding the convention and April 10 was fixed as the date. Chairman P. H. Sangree called the meeting to order. Counties in the district are Benton, Boone, Greene, Hickory, Howard, Pettis, Polk, and Saline.

An extra coach was added to the Lexington branch this morning to accommodate the delegates to the A. O. U. W. convention.

M. K. Barber, who held a position as drug clerk with the Servant-Harker Drug company, is now engaged in the drug business at Belton, Mo.

The ladies of St. Vincent's church will convert Mrs. Monahan-Collier's millinery store into a cafe for tomorrow, the profits of the enterprise to go into a fund for a new church building.

J. A. Chaney was yesterday appointed postmaster at Longwood this county, to succeed Elmer Lower, resigned.

"Just Town Talk"

THE OTHER Day
A SEDALIA
GENTLEMAN
WAS CARRYING ON
A CONVERSATION
IN HIS
PLACE OF BUSINESS
WITH AN
OUT OF TOWN
FRIEND
OR RATHER
ACQUAINTANCE
HE KEPT SAYING
"HORN THIS
AND HORN THAT"
AND THE MAN
DIDN'T SEEM
VERY MUCH
INTERESTED
AFTER A SHORT TIME
A THIRD PARTY

IN THE ROOM
SAID TO THE
FIRST GENTLEMAN
"WHO IN
THE WORLD
ARE YOU
TALKING TO
OR ABOUT"
"THIS GENTLEMAN
HERE?"
HE REPLIED
"WELL"
SAID THE
THIRD PARTY
"THAT GENTLEMAN'S
NAME
HAPPENS
TO BE
TUNE
NOT HORN"
I THANK YOU

DALE CARNEGIE

Author of "How To Win Friends And Influence People"

In November, 1914, a woman in Washington, D. C. placed her five weeks old baby in a market basket and started for Battle Harbor, Labrador. She arrived at Battle Harbor by the last boat of the season and was snow and ice bound for the winter. Her trip that day may have an effect on the food you are served.

Her name was Mrs. Clarence Birdseye.



Her husband was a fur buyer. He went up and down Labrador on snowshoes and by dog sled, buying furs from the natives. But now a new problem had entered into his life. His wife was with him and there was the baby. His wife wished to keep in the best condition on account of the child, so food was an important matter. He took the choice cuts of caribou, fish and ptarmigan and carried them home to her. But how could they keep these from spoiling? They hit on this idea; they would place water in a tub and set it outdoors where it would quickly freeze. They would place the meats and fish on this layer of ice and then pour water on top of this, in no time at all it would freeze. Thus they built up this icy layer-cake. The food was excellent.

One day as they were eating, Mrs. Birdseye said, "Clarence, isn't there some way by which this could be put to use in the United States?"

These words touched off his imagination. He found that scientists had known for a long time that foods frozen quickly keep their flavor better than slowly-frozen foods, but no one had ever thought of putting this scientific principle to work. But Clarence Birdseye did.

He and Mrs. Birdseye began to make experiments. Another important discovery was that meats frozen during the coldest weather have a better flavor than meats

that were frozen during mild (for Labrador) weather.

When he returned to the United States he continued his experiments. His wife's kitchen was his laboratory. He had to study refrigeration, engineering, chemistry or physics. But he had an idea and enthusiasm. Side by side he and his wife worked. After a time the kitchen was too small; then he opened a little laboratory in Gloucester, Mass., where there was plenty of fish.

He worked out a method of quick freezing. He improved on it. Called in experts to help him.

In 1929 he and his stockholders sold their interest for \$22,000,000. The business is now owned by General Foods Corporation, and the quick frozen products it packs are called Birdseye Frosted Foods in honor of himself and Mrs. Birdseye.

The secret of Mr. and Mrs. Birdseye's amazing success is that they stumbled onto an idea—and then did something about it! Other people knew that foods could be frozen and kept indefinitely but Mr. and Mrs. Birdseye are the only ones who turned it into a twenty-two million dollar idea.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCHES

"Mind" is the subject of the Lesson-Sermon in all Churches of Christ, Scientist, on Sunday February 25, 1940.

Golden Text: Psalms 147:5. "Great is our Lord, and of great power: his understanding is infinite."

Among the citations which comprise the Lesson-Sermon is the following from the Bible: "For the Lord giveth wisdom: out of his mouth cometh knowledge and understanding" (Prov. 2: 6).

The Lesson-Sermon also includes the following passage from the Christian Science textbook, "Science and Health with Key to the Scriptures," by Mary Baker Eddy: "Mind is God. The exterminator of error is the great truth that God, good, is the only Mind, and that the supposititious opposite of Infinite Mind—called devil or evil—is not Mind, is not Truth, but error, without intelligence or reality. There can be but one Mind, because there is but one God; and if mortals claimed no other Mind and accepted no other, sin would be unknown. We can have but one Mind, if that one is infinite" (p-469).

For Ambulance Service Ph. 8

Side Glances

By Galbraith



"What has the difference in what you make on your job and what I make on my job got to do with who washes the dishes all the time?"

The Family Doctor

Charlatans In Venereal Disease Field Not As Bold-Faced As They Once Were

By Dr. Morris Fishbein
Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of Hygiene, the Health Magazine

The posters and advertisements which used to mark the residences of the "famous specialists" on venereal disease have almost completely disappeared.

Seldom does one see, in these modern times, the anatomy shows with the wax models that inspired fear and trembling in the young men and women who timorously studied the specimens. No longer is it possible for the come-on man, with a few discrete whippers, to start the boy or girl into the office of the famous quack who frightened the adolescent into a long course of unnecessary treatments.

The campaigns of the newspapers in the United States, the education that has taken place through the efforts of the federal health services, the state health departments, the American Medical Association and the American Social Hygiene Association have had definite results. Yet, even today, the ignorance which still prevails regarding the so-called social diseases, the shame and the terror of "being found out" make it possible for many careless and unprincipled charlatans to thrive on venereal disease quackery.

Recently a study was completed as to the extent of medical charlatanism and unethical practice of druggists in 39 cities. Most druggists can be depended on not to violate the laws or the ethics of their profession by diagnosing either syphilis or gonorrhea from a description of symptoms and by treating these diseases with remedies purveyed over the counter; yet, there are still a few unethical and unprincipled charlatans both in medicine and in the drug field who do not hesitate to disseminate death for a few pennies.

The American Social Hygiene Association has compiled a list of 30 nostrums frequently recommended for sale by druggists. The federal government, through the Federal Trade Commission has obtained court orders against many of these nostrums but, unfortunately, the manufacturers change the names of the products, move from their old locations, and persist in their quackery.

Representatives of the American Social Hygiene Association interviewed 1,156 men as to what they would do in case they had a venereal disease. Of these, 65 per cent at once recommended some remedy which could be purchased in the drug store for self-treatment. Certainly it is a strange type of friendship which causes a man to suggest to a friend such a dangerous procedure.

Next: The survey on drug stores.

Fellowship Of Prayer

Digging The Old Wells Again

Tuesday, February 20. And Isaac dugged again the wells of water, which they had digged in the days of Abraham, his father. Read Genesis 26:12-18.

We cannot always be living out of old power and upon the interest of old deeds unless they be recast and renewed. New occasions teach new duties. The great constancies are there but they demand to be reaffirmed. We are always needing to dig again the wells our fathers digged. Our master words must be redefined, our inherited faith suited to the insights and understandings of the living present, our conceptions of duty enlarged.

The secret of victorious living is to discover new joy in an old task, meet the familiar with fresh acclaim, make the outworn new again, and say to changing conditions, "I can meet your challenge." All this is to say to time, "I still

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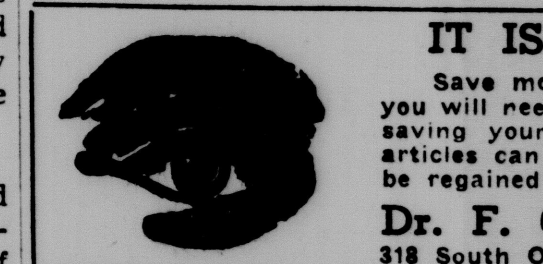
Beginning Thursday
in The Democrat

live," for what else is life but an always growing renewal? Those who thus live never fail of their reward. They add the power of the present to the wealth of the past.

Prayer: Forbid, Lord of the enduring and the always changing, that in our loyalty to the past we should take no account of the present, or that in our love of the new we should forget or should neglect the gifts and revelations of the past. Help us both to abide and be renewed. In His Name Who came not to destroy but to fulfill. Amen.

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4 horses and mares	1 milk cow
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Bold figures denote P. M. Light A. M.
1—Leave Sedalia for Marshall, Roanoke, Columbia, and St. Louis—8:50 A. M., 12:20 P. M., 3:20 P. M., 5:30 P. M.
2—Leave Sedalia for Kansas City—12:20 P. M., 3:30 P. M., 5:30 P. M.
3—Leave Sedalia for Marshall, Lexington, Independence, Richmond, Excelsior Springs, Chillicothe, Trenton and Carrollton—8:50 A. M., 5:30 P. M.
4—Leave Sedalia for Tipton, Jefferson City—11:15 A. M., 3:15 P. M., 5:30 P. M.
5—Leave Sedalia for Warrensburg and Kansas City—3:30 A. M., 1:15 P. M., 7:10 P. M.
6—Connections in Springfield for West Plains, Monett, Carthage, Joplin, Tulsa, and intermediate points.

File Will of Mrs. Howe

The will of the late Mary M. Howe has been filed in the circuit court. Her estate was left

to W. W. and Charles O. Howe. The will was made December 5, 1936, and since that time one son, Charles O. Howe has passed away.

Society And Clubs

The Rev. Paul Miller, pastor of the Trinity Lutheran church, discussed the life and works of Henry David Thoreau, at the weekly meeting of Sorosis Monday afternoon at the Heard Memorial clubhouse.

He said that the American naturalist and author had had a great influence in his life since the beginning of Rev. Miller's high school years. The guest speaker explained that Thoreau's writings have been a refuge from the hurry and bustle of life and have been a force in helping him to see things in their proper perspective—namely, that it isn't things that enable one to enjoy life, but spiritual reception and receptivity.

As a keen student of Thoreau he spoke revealingly and interestingly of Thoreau's philosophy and love of simplicity. Rev. Miller read several outstanding passages from Thoreau's "Walden" (1854), showing the writer's wide range of thought.

The two most famous years of Thoreau's life were those he spent as a recluse in his self-made shanty in the woods near Walden Pond, (1845-47). There he lived happily on a bare pittance, indulging to the full his sympathies with birds and beasts and giving free range to his fresh and noble thoughts. Another interesting fact of his life was his intimacy with Emerson. Thoreau lived from 1817 to 1862.

As an observance of the anniversary of the birth of George Washington on February 22, the club sang "The Star Spangled Banner" with Mrs. A. H. Bratten leading and with Mrs. E. F. Yancey at the piano.

Mrs. E. W. Brubaker, president of Sorosis, paid tribute to Mrs. Yancey for her twenty years presidency of the Helen G. Steele Music club. Mrs. Yancey responded and thanked Sorosis for the flowers sent for the anniversary celebration held for her last week by the music club.

The chairman of the Civics department of Sorosis, Mrs. Glenn Warren, announced that the program next Monday afternoon will be on "Consumer Relations" with four speakers presenting a variety of information.

Mrs. Margaret Arni was pleasantly surprised Sunday when a number of relatives assembled at her home with well filled baskets. The occasion was in honor of her birthday anniversary, which was February 14. Attending were: Mrs. J. Edward Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Morris, daughter Linda Lou, Mrs. Audrey Sims, daughter Arleen G. and Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Young, of Versailles, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Lyles, Sr., two sons, Billy and Eddie, of Sedalia, Mr. and

Mrs. K. J. Morris and Leo Morris of near Smithton.

A bounteous dinner, with home made ice cream for dessert, was enjoyed.

The Young People of the Olive Branch church Sunday school met Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McNeal for a social evening.

Those attending were: Rev. Denzil Albin, pastor; Buddy and Johnny McNeal, Doyle, Teddy Ray and Ethel Hudson, Harlan and Hugh Burns, August Siegel Kanenbley, Nina and Hilda Turner, Lloyd and Albert Aldridge, Dale Burns, Norman Turner, Lloyd Moon, Francis and Marjory Mosier, Ralph Lenhardt, Mrs. E. M. Burns, Faye and Kathryn McNeal.

The P. E. O. Society will meet with Mrs. Heber U. Hunt, of 906 West Fifth street, at a 1 o'clock luncheon on Wednesday, February 21, with a business meeting to follow.

Church Events

The Homemakers class of the East Sedalia Baptist church will have an all day meeting Wednesday, February 21, at the home of Mrs. Roselle DeLapp, 1706 East Fifth street.

The Arnold circle of the Epworth Methodist church will meet at the home of Mrs. Eddie Deuel, 1312 East Broadway, on Wednesday afternoon.

Mind Your Manners

Test your knowledge of correct social usage by answering the following questions, then checking against the authoritative answers below:

1. Is it good manners to smoke while dancing?

2. Should guests at a private dance clamor for more music when the orchestra has played "Home Sweet Home," "Good Night Ladies," or any other song which means the dance is over?

3. What is the most important consideration in giving a dance?

4. At a buffet supper do the women serve themselves or do the men fill their plates for them?

5. If there are no small tables, where do guests at a buffet supper put their glasses?

What would you do if—

You are planning a centerpiece for a buffet supper table. Would you use—

(a) Flowers?

(b) A bowl of fruit?

Answers

1. No.

2. No. The orchestra was probably engaged with the understanding that they quit at a certain time.

3. The music.

4. Women usually serve themselves, though the men may serve them if they wish.

5. On the floor.

Best "What Would You Do" solution—either is correct, but (b) is especially nice for a buffet supper.

All Day Meeting By Osage Homemakers

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Strader, of the Hughesville community, entertained the Osage Homemakers at an all day meeting Friday. Quilting and games were the diversions of the days.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ruddin, March 15.

New Arrival Named

Margaret Dianne is the name given the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Junge, of Cole Camp, born at the Bothwell hospital Sunday.

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Co-eds Will Fight To Wed At 17



Inez Freer, New York University sophomore (above) says she wants nine babies and "could have been started by now" if her parents had let her marry at 17. Her sweetheart married another because Inez couldn't say "Yes." So she and 24 other love-lorn NYU coeds recently formed the "Future Wives of America Society," which will petition legislature to let girls marry at 17 without parents' OK.

Shops and Rails

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Hanigan and children Dolores and Marvin have returned from Coffeyville, Kas., where they spent the week-end visiting relatives. Mr. Hanigan is a clerk in the store department.

Harry Trotter, boiler maker helper has returned from Cotter, Ark., where he has been employed with the Missouri Pacific at that point.

D. S. Young, machinist apprentice, spent the week-end visiting in Gurdon, Ark.

M. F. Henderson, sheet metal worker apprentice, has returned to work after a two months leave of absence.

Forrest Zey, sheet metal worker, has returned home after spending the past several weeks working in Poplar Bluff, Mo.

Mail car No. 2123, coach No. 6301, mail and baggage car No. 3703 and motor car No. 654 which have been receiving repairs at the shops were released for service last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Morton spent the week-end visiting relatives in Fortuna, Mo. Mr. Morton is a laborer in the freight shed.

Mrs. Chris Rau, wife of labor foreman in the mill, spent the weekend visiting in Kansas City.

C. F. Kirner, boilermaker, spent the week-end visiting relatives in Joplin, Mo.

Mrs. L. W. Howe has been called to Nevada, Mo., on account of the serious illness of a sister. Mr. Howe is lift truck operator in the coach shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Hill spent the week-end visiting relatives in Kansas City. Mr. Hill is an electrician.

George A. Secor, representative of the ExCello Co., of St. Louis was a business visitor at the shops Wednesday.

W. H. Light, carman apprentice has completed his apprenticeship in the coach shop.

A. L. Tolliver from the Missouri Pacific St. Louis office, was a business visitor at the shops last week.

C. I. Hermansader, machinist, has entered the Missouri Pacific hospital in St. Louis to receive medical attention.

George Bryant, employed at the roundhouse, was called last week to McGirk, Mo., on account of the serious illness of his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Sharp, are spending a few days visiting relatives and friends in Joplin, Mo. Mr. Sharp is a retired machinist.

F. E. Cheshire, general car inspector for the Missouri Pacific with headquarters in St. Louis, was a business visitor at the shops Thursday. He was with the Eagle streamline train which was on exhibit in Sedalia that date.

J. C. Damrill, general chairman of the sheet metal workers, R. E. Cline, general chairman of the electricians, and L. C. Bryson, shop committee chairman, were in St. Louis last week at-

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tending a meeting of the Executive Board.

A. E. DeForest, railroad sales manager for the ExCello Corp., with headquarters in Detroit, Mich., was a business visitor at the shops last week.

Farewell Party And Program

A number of friends and neighbors of the Victory community gathered at the school house Wednesday night, February 14 to have a Valentine box and a farewell party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Williams and family, because of their leaving this community.

The pupils and their teacher, Mrs. Agnes Wray, prepared a short program.

The club served a lunch of cake, cookies, sandwiches and coffee.

Rev. Moore To Speak In Broadway Church

The third in the series of Thursday evening Lenten services of the Broadway Presbyterian church will have Rev. D. A. Moore of Green Ridge as the special guest. His subject will be, "What Jesus Taught About Greatness." A group of men will lead the music for the evening and Leonard Englund will sing a solo. The public is most cordially invited to attend these Lenten services.

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Installation By Royal Neighbors

Royal Neighbors of America, Violet Camp No. 607 met at the Woodmen-Maccabee hall Friday installing the following officers:

District deputy, Mrs. Oneada Dow was installing officer and Mrs. Lulu Terrell as ceremonial marshal.

The officers are: oracle, Mrs. Bessie Nicholas; past oracle, Mrs. Anna Weeden; vice oracle, Mrs. George Roach; chancellor, Mrs. Laura Chambers; recorder, Mrs. Olive Lawson; receiver, Mrs. Amelia Jones; marshal, Mrs. Lulu Terrell, asst. marshal, Mrs. Mary Mayberry; inner sentinel, Mrs. Martha Roef; outer sentinel, Mrs. Mary Strickler; manager, 3 years, Mrs. Albert Nutt, physician, Dr. Gordon Stauffacher; musician, Mrs. Bertha Heck; faith, Mrs. Ruth Haines; courage, Mrs. Emma Rodewald; modesty, Mrs. Eva Gehlken; unselfish, Mrs. Clara Twyman; endurance, Mrs. Ira Frick; flag bearer, Mrs. Samantha Bush; captain of degree staff, Miss Elizabeth Roef.

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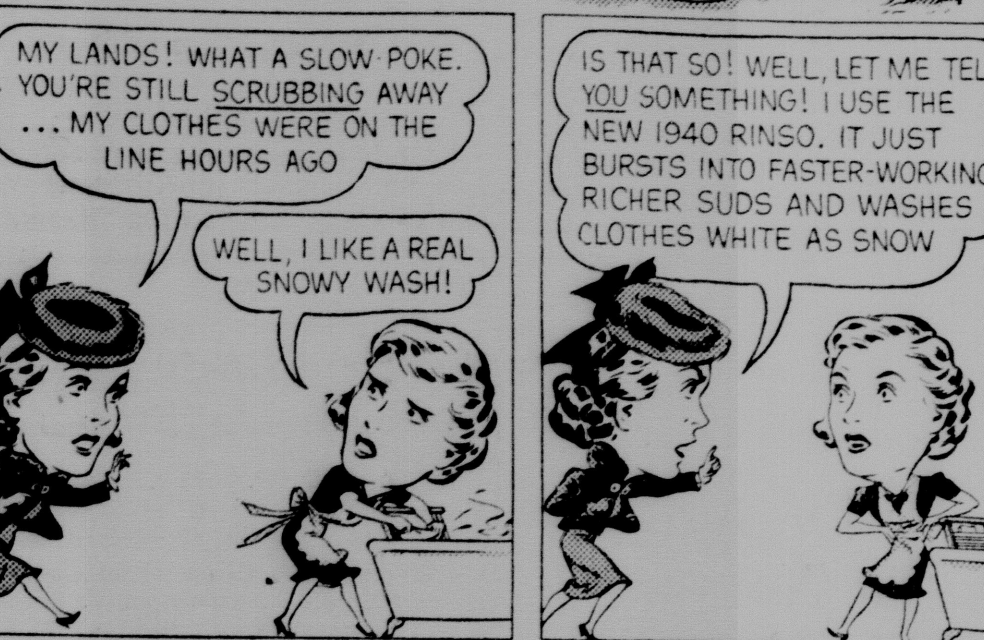
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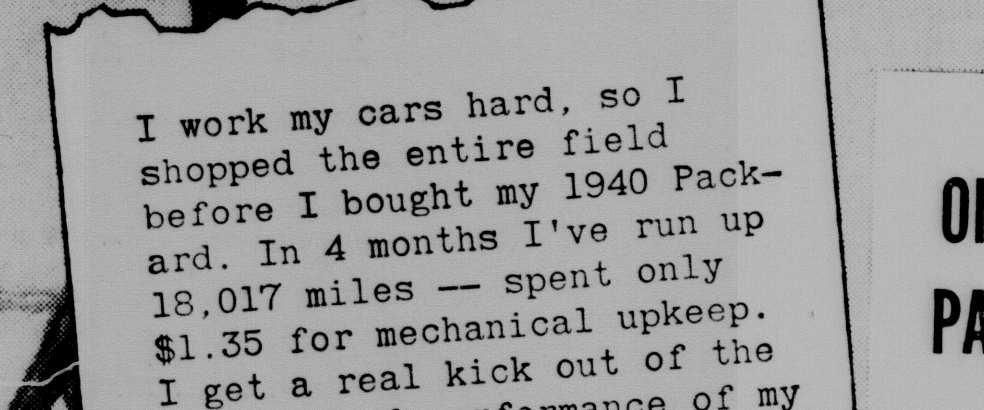
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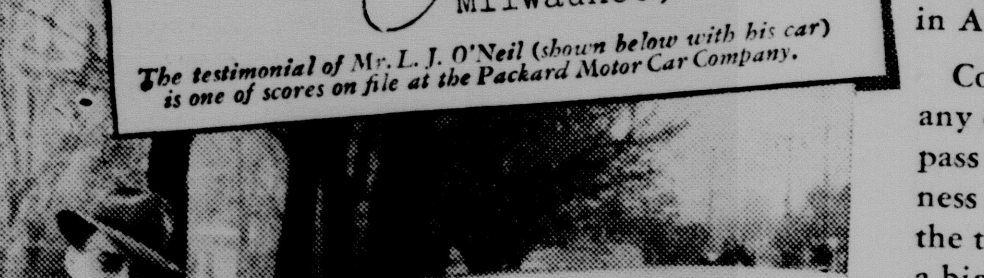


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Obituaries

Victor Gary McCabe
Victor Gary McCabe, a former resident of Sedalia and Kansas City, died Sunday in Los Angeles, California.

Mr. McCabe had been ill several months with asthma and suffered a relapse Saturday night, passing away at 5 o'clock Sunday afternoon at his home in Los Angeles. He was born and reared in Sedalia, but was a resident of California the past ten years.

He leaves his wife, Mrs. Lorena McCabe, of the home, his mother, Mrs. Obe McCabe, two sisters, Miss Mabel McCabe and Mrs. Helen Rhodes, of the Drake hotel in Kansas City, and one brother, W. E. McCabe, of Denver, Colo.

Burial will be in Los Angeles. On account of illness, Mrs. McCabe and daughters will be unable to attend.

Funeral of H. B. Smith
The funeral of Harry Barnett Smith, who passed away at his home in Kansas City Sunday night, will be held at 10:30 o'clock Wednesday morning at Calvary Episcopal church, the pastor, Rev. R. A. Park to officiate.

Friends who will serve as pallbearers are, Luther Swafford, Wallace Good and V. W. Kerley, of Kansas City, Emmett Trader, McRoberts Messerly and Charles E. Messerly, of Sedalia.

Interment will be in Crown Hill cemetery, by the side of his wife, who passed away in October.

The body was brought to Sedalia and taken to Gillespie's and this afternoon to the home of the deceased's sister, Mrs. George V. Sneed, 114 West Broadway.

Funeral of Mrs. Kuykendall
The funeral of Mrs. Clara Kaiser Kuykendall, who died last Thursday morning after a lingering illness, was held Saturday afternoon at the Florence Methodist church. Rev. Holland officiated at a short service at the home.

Pallbearers, nephews of the deceased, were Arthur Combs, Chas. Combs, Emmett Combs, of Syracuse, John and Raymond Kuykendall of Ottumwa and Walter Kuykendall, of Sedalia. Nieces served as flower girls were: Misses Elvora Kuykendall, Lena Peoples, Syracuse; Dollena Kaiser, Stover and Melva Combs, Latham.

Funeral of A. C. Myers
Funeral services for Alverson Cary Myers, M. K. T. conductor, who died Saturday morning, were held this afternoon at the McLaughlin chapel. Rev. A. W. Kendorff, pastor of the First Christian church and Rev. O. J. Rumpf, pastor of the Evangelical church officiated.

Mrs. W. L. Lewis and Mrs. Donald Moutray, accompanied by Mrs. Glenn Moser sang, "In The Garden," "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," and "The Old Rugged Cross."

Friends who served as pallbearers were: Henry Mason, A. M. Wood, T. B. Good, William Marsh, R. W. Spillers and A. H. Slocum.

Interment was in Crown Hill cemetery by the side of his wife.

McNutt Not Be On Ohio Ballot

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Although the Democratic presidential primary in Ohio appeared to be turning into a free-for-all contest, friends said today that Paul V. McNutt would stay off the state ballot.

After Senator Donahoe (D-Ohio) declined yesterday to be a "favorite son" candidate, word spread that Vice President Garner soon would enter the May 14 presidential election and that Senator Wheeler (D-Mont) was considering filing his name.

Persons in close touch with McNutt, however, explained that he would not enter any primary in which President Roosevelt participated or in which a candidate supporting a third term was running.

The president himself is not expected to enter the Ohio race, because the state law requires that candidates sign a certificate saying they will accept the nomination. Such procedure would be formal notice that Mr. Roosevelt was willing to run again.

Garner already has arranged to participate in the primaries in Illinois, Wisconsin, Oregon and California—and in Georgia, if one is ordered by the state Democratic committee.

Cross Complaint On James Roosevelt

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Betsy Cushing Roosevelt, wife of the president's eldest son, James, has joined her movie-producer husband in seeking a divorce.

Through Attorney Neil S. McCarthy, Mrs. Roosevelt late yesterday filed a cross-complaint to her husband's action of last week, asking a decree on grounds of desertion and cruelty. His complaint accused her of deserting him.

Neither suit mentions custody of their children, Sara Delano, 7, and Kate, 4, but Mrs. Roosevelt's attorney, in a statement issued in New York last week, said they would remain with her.

Her action embodied a plea that a property settlement already executed be approved. The agreement was not announced. She categorically denied her husband's desertion charge.

The Roosevelt's were married

in Brookline, Mass., June 4, 1930, and separated November 1, 1938.

British Losses Heaviest In War

LONDON, Feb. 20.—(AP)—British authorities asserted today that last week's British and neutral shipping losses were the heaviest of the war, but said that four German submarines "were definitely sunk" and two others were believed destroyed by the British navy or air force.

The successful attacks on the six U-boats were said to have occurred within a space of six days last week, which British naval sources said was marked by the return of the torpedo to first place as a weapon of destruction.

The admiralty listed five British and 15 neutral ships as lost during the week ending Sunday with a total of 86,077 tons, surpassing the previous high mark of 78,193 tons set in the second week of the war.

The London Evening News reported that German bombing planes machine-gunned the decks of four British trawlers in the North Sea yesterday but failed in attempts to bomb the ships. British fighting planes were said to have chased the Germans away.

Without referring to the Evening News report an authoritative British source said that "nothing whatever" was known of what it called a German claim that 12 planes had bombed shipping off the east coast of Scotland.

(German communiques mentioned no such bombing although today's reported "reconnaissance flights over the northern part of the North Sea.")

Interrupts To Plead Guilty

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Jeremiah (Jack) Seeman, inmate of the federal penitentiary at Leavenworth, Kansas, interrupted the federal court trial of five men, including himself, to plead guilty today to charges of transporting stolen bonds in interstate commerce.

The other defendants are Seeman's brother, Solly, onetime lightweight fighter, Morris Pollock, former Wall Street broker; Jack Applebaum, Lynhurst, Mo., auctioneer, and Dan Kalish, a building contractor, or Irvington, N. J.

John Walsh, assistant U. S. attorney, said the ring numbers 34 or more individuals, to whom agents have traced approximately \$1,000,000 in stolen bonds during the past few years.

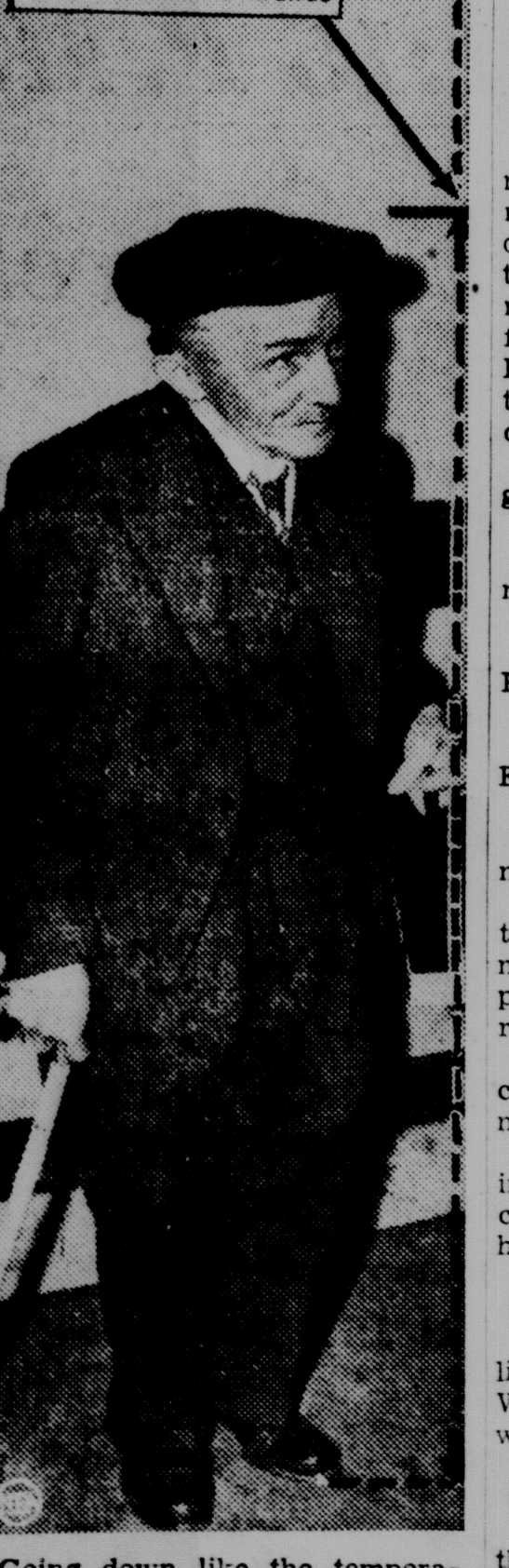
William Hanley Critically Ill

William Hanley, who went to the state institution in St. Joseph, from Pettis county May 4, 1887, is critically ill according to a message received by the county clerk today.

The institution has no record of any relatives of Mr. Hanley and was endeavoring to locate any, if they should be living in this community.

'Shrinking Man' Sues for Divorce

How He's Shrunk
THEN: 5 feet 7 inches
NOW: 4 feet 3 inches



Going down like the temperature, Joseph E. Mayott, 65, of Los Angeles, has shrunk 16 inches in recent years because of a rare malady which causes him to constantly grow shorter. In addition to his other troubles, he is suing his wife for divorce.

Schram States Loans Held Up Pending Probe

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the departments. Whether spokesmen for the departments and the SEC would be called to testify depended upon what records showed, Toland said.

Denial of Agreement

Schram denied that the RFC had any agreement with the labor board to withhold loans from firms against which labor practice complaints had been issued. He said the corporation reserved the right to act as it saw fit, but that it looked into evidence of labor troubles involving a borrower because that might affect a firm's credit.

Summonses were issued last night for Secretary of Interior Ickes, Secretary of the Navy Edison and Secretary of Labor Perkins. Miss Perkins, however, is in San Francisco.

The subpoenas also directed them to supply all information about any "overtures" which the labor board might have made to get them to withhold contracts from alleged Wagner act violators.

The subpoenas followed a charge by Edmund M. Toland, committee counsel, that there had been attempted "blackjacking" of government contractors and borrowers.

Other subpoenas were issued for Captain H. E. Collins of the treasury procurement division, chief government purchasing officer, and for George R. Cooksey, RFC secretary.

Both the procurement division and the RFC have been mentioned in committee hearings as having received letters from labor board officials asking them to note that certain firms were before the board on unfair labor practice charges.

The announcement of the cabinet officers' subpoenas came simultaneously with a disclosure that proposal of Wagner act amendments by the special house committee was imminent.

Suit Is Heard To Construe Will

A suit, asking the circuit court to construe the will of the late William Lee Snapp, who died in 1938 at his home near Nelson, Mo., was heard before Judge Dimmitt Hoffman as a court of equity this morning.

In the will involving an estate of about \$7,000 or \$8,000, one paragraph named as heirs grandchildren now living and hereafter born.

The suit contended that those terms were so indefinite that no one would know their share, because there might be any number of grandchildren hereafter born, and this would change the status of the estate. They contended further that real estate titles could not be cleared, and vesting of a title would be postponed for such a long time that it violated the statute of perpetuity.

Harlan and Crawford represented the defendants. They asked for the appointment of a guardian for the grandchildren, all minors, and Harley Hay, was appointed. Hay and the grandchildren were represented by Lawrence Barnett.

Barnett admitted to the court that under the will the real estate titles would be tied up for many years, but that it was a man's privilege to make his will as he pleased.

The court took the case under advisement.

Program Given By Ionia MFA

A very interesting M. F. A. meeting was held at Ionia Wednesday night under the direction of F. A. Mueller, the manager of the M. F. A. elevator at Ionia. The meeting was opened with music furnished by the Harms brothers. Following board members spoke telling of the purpose and benefits derived from the M. F. A.

Among the numbers on the program were:

Song—Arlene Tubesing.
Talk—G. C. Richter, board member.
Vocal solo—Mrs. A. W. Hampy.
Talk—M. F. Mueller, president Producers Exchange.
Vocal solo—Kenneth Brown.
Talk—Mr. Ballaw, salesman, M. F. A. grain and feed.
Talk—Mr. Reid.
Battle of the Sexes—Five women against five men.

Following the program an interesting feature was a spelling match for grade pupils and each pupil who spelled his word correctly received a money prize.

One hundred and ten dividend checks were distributed among members.

Following which lunch consisting of sandwiches, doughnuts and coffee was served to over three hundred people.

Similarity Of Names

The Walter Hunter fined in police court for intoxication was not Walter Hunter, of 524 East Howard street.

Clark Circle to Meet

The Clark Circle will meet at the home of Mrs. L. E. Graham 815 East Tenth street, Wednesday afternoon.

Assessor Gorman Ill

Ed Gorman, city assessor, is ill at his home, 400 West Fourth street.

Archbishop Outlaws Parish After Rebellion



Defiant members of Cleveland's Holy Redeemer Catholic church were placed under ecclesiastical interdiction by Archbishop Joseph Schrembs after a milling crowd of 1500 stopped the installation of Rev. Vincent Caruso as pastor because they preferred another priest. Picture shows crowd scattering before tear gas fumes. The tear gas bomb is said to have gone off accidentally in pocket of one of 60 policemen called to keep order. Interdiction is one of most severe penalties of the Catholic church.

Smash Soviet Move To Cross Lake On Ice

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as running from somewhere west of Summa toward Muolaa.

Confidence By Reds

MOSCOW, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Soviet sources expressed confidence today that Russian troops would smash completely through Finland's Mannerheim line in time for the Red Army's 22nd anniversary celebration next Friday.

Indications that the Russians would intensify their efforts to crush the Finns were seen in Soviet press reports and public lecture declarations that the army anniversary would witness an announcement of a break in the Finnish maze of forts and pill boxes on the Karelian isthmus.

The regular Russian communique from Leningrad said the Red Army was busy mopping up areas six miles south of Viipuri, where the Soviet troops were reported to have isolated the Finnish coast defense fort at Koivisto, western terminus of the front.

Favors Change In Law Code

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Attorney General Roy McKittick appealed last night for a code of criminal procedure that would give the state an even break with defendants when they are brought to trial.

He pointed out several "serious" handicaps the state suffers under "Missouri's bustle laws"—his term for present procedural rules because "they were enacted in the days of the bustle and are far behind every other (governmental) achievement"—in an address before the parents' club of Kansas City's Southeast high school.

The attorney general recommended the laws be changed to give the state the same rights defendants enjoy in selection of juries and changes of venue.

He also urged the state be granted the right to appeal from any adverse ruling of a trial court, including that on a defendant's plea in abatement. McKittick recently said he was unable to obtain a supreme court review of the dismissal of an indictment against A. L. Darby, Kansas City finance director, because Darby's successful plea in abatement left no path open for appeal. The case involved immunity of grand jurors as witnesses in a criminal proceeding.

McKittick also would permit

Objects On Census Queries

WASHINGTON, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Political controversy over the 1940 census was renewed today with a demand by Senator Tobey (R-NH) for senate committee hearings on his proposal to eliminate personal income questions.

He said in a radio speech last night there were "grounds for being apprehensive" that "the political bosses take advantage of the financial plight of the individual citizen."

Secretary Hopkins replied to an earlier protest from Tobey by saying that answers about mortgages, rental and income must be kept confidential perpetually.

Taking of the census will begin April 1. President Roosevelt pointed out in a recent proclamation that answers are required by law and that any person refusing to answer the questions is subject to penalty.

Tobey contended last night that questions about personal finances are unconstitutional and that there is no legislative authorization for them.

"Nowhere in the act are income questions authorized," he said. "They constitute an unwarranted prying into your personal affairs."

Advertise for a Russian Sympathizer

WELLFLEET, Mass., Feb. 20.—(AP)—The board of trade is advertising for a "Russian sympathizer willing and able to state the Russian situation" in the present conflict with Finland.

He is wanted for a discussion at the board's meeting tonight. The board's offer: "dinner and protection guaranteed."

Until a late hour today, there were no applicants.

Couple Found Dead in Gas Filled Room

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Dr. Willis Young, elderly physician and surgeon, and his wife, a former newspaper columnist, were found dead in a gas-filled room

of their spacious home. Police said positions of the bodies indicated the couple had died holding hands.

Both had been in ill health. A note left to Dr. Martin J. Glazer, coroner and personal friend of Dr. Young, indicated they were victims of a suicide pact about two days previous to being found late yesterday.

The note said, "the findings will be self-evident."

Snead Leads In Open Tourney

HOUSTON, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Sammy Snead, of White Sulphur Springs, W. Va., maintained his lead at the end of 54 holes of the 72-hole western open golf tournament today.

Snead came in with a 76 through the cold, stiff winds that blew over the 35-36-71 par River Oaks course to post a total of 219, one ahead of Tony Penna of Dayton, Ohio.

Penna had a 74 to match his two-day total of 146.

Six men were tied for third place at 222: Ralph Guldahl of Dallas, who had a 77; Dick Metz of Chicago, 74; Sam Byrd of Philadelphia, 74; the morning's best round; Craig Wood of Mamaroneck, N. Y.; Harold (Jug) McSpaden, Winchester, Mass., 77; and Jimmy Demaret of Houston, 76.

Alone in the ninth place spot was Jack Grout of Mamaroneck, N. Y.

The field immediately teed off on the final round of the \$5,000 tournament.

Endeavor by Niece To Locate an Uncle

A letter received at police headquarters today states:

"Can you give any information as to the whereabouts of one Jesse Allen, a surveyor, a single man between 45 and 50 years old. He is medium size, has brown hair, brown eyes, and probably stays at hotels. He is wanted by his niece," the letters adds, and is signed by Nicholas Branson, Belle, Mo., rural route 1.

Third Protest Made to Japan on Bombings

TOKYO, Feb. 20.—(AP)—French Ambassador Charles Arsene Henry protested today for the third time to Japan over repeated bombings of the French-operated Hanoi-Kunming railway running from Indo-China into the Chinese southwest.

See Display Of Implements

Farm men and women from over Sedalia's trade territory are in Sedalia today to attend the annual Farm Implement Show of the Adams Implement Company, 401 West Main street.

Elmer Adams, proprietor, has for several years made this an outstanding event, and has entertained hundreds of farmers and members of their families at his place of business.

A free lunch was served at noon, under the supervision of Mrs. Adams. There were moving pictures shown and a dance revue was presented by pupils of Miss Lillian Hurley, a sister of Mrs. Adams.

The visitors are enjoying, not only the special entertainment arranged for them, but the display of farm implements. There is the latest and most modern equipment for the convenience of the farmers as well as many smaller pieces of equipment for the women on the farms.

Deny Designs As To Norway

MOSCOW, Feb. 20.—(AP)—The Soviet press accused the Allies today of attempting to involve the Scandinavian nations in war but indignantly denied a German press charge that Russia has territorial designs on Norway.

The Communist party newspaper Pravda took sharp issue with the German paper Nachttausgabe which Pravda said alleged the Soviet Union was planning to establish herself on the North Atlantic at Norway's expense.

Tass, the official Soviet news agency, interpreted the Altmarm incident as "the grossest violation of Norwegian neutrality by England, seeking to create alarm in Norway and to demonstrate British strength in order to force Oslo to yield to Allied demands that Norway immediately enter the war on the side of the White Finns."

One newspaper, Komsomolskaya Pravda, reported French-British efforts to secure Swedish and Norwegian aid for Finland "conceal a desire to involve the Scandinavian countries in war against Germany."

Soldiers Slain On Losing Way

PARIS, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Two truckloads of French soldiers who lost their way in the maze of frontier entanglements and crossed the German lines suffered at least 20 deaths from German grenade throwers, military sources reported today in detailing the action disclosed by yesterday's French communique.

The losses, heaviest since mid-October, at first were attributed to a German ambush, but the new reports said an error was to blame.

The French were en route to relieve men in advanced positions when by some misdirection they approached a German outpost and were showered with grenades. There was no engagement except when the French tried to defend themselves and fall back to their own lines.

(Today's German communique said the engagement took place on French soil, southeast of Busendorf.)

Military sources said today the latest activity on the western front was the repulse by machine-gunners of two German raids on the French outposts west of the Saar and in the Nied river sector.

French naval sources said several German submarines had been attacked at sea by French and British warships, but results were not yet determined.

Junior Music Club To Meet

The Beulah Yancey Junior Music Club will have a meeting at 4:15 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at the First Baptist church.

Rev. Blum To Be Guest Speaker

The Rev. Edward M. Blum will be the guest preacher Wednesday evening at Calvary Episcopal church, Broadway and Ohio. The services will begin at 7:30.

Mr. Blum is the priest in charge of St. Luke's Episcopal church, Excelsior Springs. A native of Kansas City, Mo., he completed his theological training at DuBose school, Monteagle, Tenn., and then took charge of the church in Excelsior Springs a year ago. He is a leader in civic enterprises in his community, particularly in Boy Scouting.

Last fall Mr. Blum addressed the Sorosis club here on work among the Southern mountaineers.

The holy communion scheduled for Wednesday morning will be advanced in time to 9:30 a. m., because of the funeral later the morning of Harry B. Smith.

Sudden Buying Splurge On Stocks

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Traders went on a sudden buying splurge in the last 15 minutes of the stock market session today, gaining the prices on leaders up 1 to 2 points above yesterday's levels after four hours and 45 minutes of slipping somnolence.

Taking a tip from an earlier boost in metals, steels, led by Bethlehem and U. S. Steel, jumped around 2 points on fairly large orders which boosted the day's transactions to around \$60,000 shares.

The best performers on the upside included Anaconda, Kennecott, Phelps Dodge, Bendix, Chrysler, General Motors, U. S. Steel, Brooklyn-Manhattan Transit, Colgate, Canada Dry, Twin Coach and Thompson Products. The five last named established new highs for the year.

The list of retreating shares included Brooklyn and Queens Transit preferred—which fell 14 points but later partially recovered—Loft, Harvester, Caterpillar, Pan American Airways, American Can, Westinghouse, Du Pont, Standard Oil of N. J., Douglas and Martin.

Closing Of Leading Stocks

	Close	Close
	Mon.	Tues.
American & For. Power...	14 1/2	14 1/2
American Smelt. & Ref....	50 1/2	51 1/2
American Tel. & Tel....	171 1/2	171 1/2
American Tobacco "B"....	90 1/2	90 1/2
Anaconda Copper.....	23 1/2	23 1/2
Du Pont de Nem....	154 1/2	155 1/2
Eastman Kodak.....	135 1/2	135 1/2
Auburn Auto.....	13 1/2	13 1/2
Bethlehem Steel.....	79 1/2	79 1/2
Chicago & Northwestern....	8 1/2	8 1/2
Chrysler.....	85 1/2	86 1/2
Coca Cola.....	121 1/2	121 1/2
Curtis-Wright.....	10 1/2	10 1/2
Curtis-Wright A.....	29 1/2	29 1/2
Du Pont de Nem.....	154 1/2	155 1/2
Eastman Kodak.....	135 1/2	135 1/2
General Electric.....	53 1/2	53 1/2
Int. Harvester.....	56 1/2	56 1/2
International Shoe.....	35 1/2	35 1/2
Int. Tel. and Tel.....	3 1/2	3 1/2
Kenneth Copper.....	36 1/2	36 1/2
Libby, McN. & Libby.....	7 1/2	7 1/2
Lige. & Myers Tob. "B"....	107 1/2	107 1/2
Loose-Wiles Biscuit.....	17 1/2	17 1/2
Mid. Con. Pet.....	14 1/2	14 1/2
Missouri Kansas Texas....	14 1/2	14 1/2
Missouri Pacific.....	5 1/2	5 1/2
Montgomery Ward.....	54 1/2	54 1/2
Nash-Kelvinator.....	7 1/2	7 1/2
National Cash Reg. "A"....	15 1/2	15 1/2
North American.....	22 1/2	22 1/2
Packard.....	3 1/2	3 1/2
Phillips Pet.....	29 1/2	29 1/2
Purity Baking.....	114 1/2	114 1/2
Radio Corp. of America....	5 1/2	5 1/2
Sears-Roebuck.....	20 1/2	20 1/2
Skelly Oil.....	20 1/2	20 1/2
Standard Oil of Ind.....	26 1/2	26 1/2
Studebaker.....	11 1/2	12 1/2
Swift and Co.....	58 1/2	58 1/2
U. S. Steel.....	50 1/2	50 1/2
Westinghouse E. & Mfg....	113 1/2	113 1/2

Few Leaders Upon the Curb

	Close	Close
	Mon.	Tues.
American Light and T....	15 1/2	15 1/2
Arkansas Gas.....	2 1/2	2 1/2
Arkansas Nat. Gas A.....	2 1/2	2 1/2
Assoc. G. & L. A.....	4 1/2	4 1/2
Cities Service.....	4 1/2	4 1/2
Cities Service Pf.....	55 1/2	55 1/2
Eagle Pitch. Lead.....	10 1/2	10 1/2
El Bond and Sh.....	7 1/2	7 1/2
Ford M. Can. A.....	16 1/2	16 1/2

Women Join In A Campaign

Cooperation With Boosters For Solicitation

Reaching the half way mark in the mid-winter business solicitation campaign the Sedalia Boosters feel they are doing their share in making this one of the most successful drives staged by the Missouri Pacific.

The Boosters feel that the heavy increase in employment in 1939 was due to a great extent to the increase of business at the freight depot. The figures show an increase in the payroll for 1939 at the Missouri Pacific shops of \$1,667,540. The payroll for the entire year being \$13,330,100, an increase of 14.3 per cent over the previous year, 1938.

Freight receipts showed an increase of 12.5 per cent over the previous year.

The January, 1940, payroll increase at the shops was \$12,758 or an increase of 11.7 per cent, while the freight receipts showed a decrease of \$2,305 or 9 per cent decrease in freight receipts as compared to the previous year.

The Boosters desire to see all of their fellow employees on the pay rolls consequently they are making an earnest effort to secure every pound of freight possible shipped over the Missouri Pacific lines.

Women To Cooperate

At a dinner party of the Supervisor's club held at the Bothwell hotel Saturday evening, the wives of the members of the Supervisors club pledged their cooperation and support to the mid winter campaign and as a result the following ladies will participate in the last half drive of this campaign which started February 15.

Mesdames W. M. Allcorn, C. E. Bodine, E. D. Bybee, G. T. Calender, R. W. Chapin, T. J. Flessa, J. R. Fullerton, Wm. Frederickson, E. J. Hansman, M. M. Hayden, L. B. Herfurth, J. D. Johnson, H. L. Judd, H. M. Kelly, E. W. Kettle-son, F. G. Knerl, H. N. Lambirth, H. H. Magill, C. Michaelis, W. L. Monagan, E. B. McNeill, J. H. McQuiddy, R. W. Osten, J. W. Pettyjohn, J. A. Pierce, S. Rentschler, H. F. Rapp, T. P. Segers, W. I. Smith, C. W. Smith, W. L. Steele, L. L. Studer, E. E. Shaw, J. H. Thomas, C. E. Trader, V. H. Winnberg, E. F. Wolf, F. Vertz, E. C. Jett, G. W. Dabner, A. C. Ford, P. E. Gibson, G. B. Hostford, A. L. Pringle, D. E. Robinson, W. F. Schwenk, P. R. Nichols.

Subpoenas On State Affairs

JEFFERSON CITY, Feb. 20.—(P)—Three of Missouri's top elective officials were subpoenaed by the Securities Exchange Commission today "to testify in the matter of the Union Electric Company of Missouri, its subsidiaries, and the St. Louis County Gas Company."

The three—Secretary of State Dwight H. Brown, auditor Forrest Smith and State Treasurer Robert Winn—are members of the equalization board which fixes the tax valuation of public utilities.

The other members of the board—Gov. Lloyd C. Stark and Attorney General Roy McKittick—were away from the capitol today. It was understood McKittick also had been subpoenaed to appear before H. B. Collins, an SEC official. Stark is out of the state.

The SEC has been investigating political activities of Union Electric for several weeks. It was that investigation which disclosed recently that a former vice president of the company had sent \$500 to one of Stark's closest friends to be used for political purposes in Pike county the year the governor was elected.

The equalization board, composed of the elected officials, this year boosted Union Electric's tax valuation nearly \$9,000,000 to \$39,000,000. The increase came after Albert C. Laun, for years the company's ace lobbyist, had resigned as one of its vice presidents.

Rob Mourners During Burials

EBENSBURG, Pa., Feb. 20.—(P)—Glenn Hildebrand, 26, of Johnstown, was sentenced to six months to one year in Cambria county jail for stealing pocket-books from autos in a cemetery—while their owners were placing flowers on the graves of loved ones.

"This is the most contemptible thing I ever heard," Judge Ivan J. McKenrick said in passing sentence.

Birth of a Daughter Announced

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Williams of Sedalia, Mo., route 3, announce the birth of a daughter born Wednesday, February 14.

The new arrival weighed eight and one-half pounds and has been given the name of Joyce Irene.

Mrs. Williams was before her marriage Miss Katherine Fisher of Houstonia, Mo.

The Williams have one other child, a son, Lloyd Eugene.

C. L. Hermansader Home From Hospital

C. L. Hermansader, employed in the wheel department at the Missouri Pacific shops, has re-

turned to his home, 607 West Sixth street from the Missouri Pacific hospital, St. Louis where he had been a patient due to a fractured bone in his left leg. After a stay of a few weeks he will return to the hospital.

Vote for Road Tax

By a vote of 45 to 32 the residents of the LaMonte special road district Saturday voted to assess a .05c per \$100 valuation tax for road purposes.

Today's Pattern



A Real Shirtwaist Dress!

Pattern 8618 Here's a style that was very popular when the Gibson girl was having her big moments—and it is extremely important for Spring, being one of the first new things to be enthusiastically received. 8618 is a smart little one-piece dress that looks just like the original shirt-waist-and-skirt that took the country by storm a couple of decades or so ago. Fastened with a double row of buttons, finished with a deeply notched collar, the blouse has cuffed sleeves, long or short.

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But I'll Find Out Who He Is In The Get Acquainted Page

Knob Noster

Dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Davis Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Casebolt, of Kansas City, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Dorsey of Houstonia, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson and son, Wells H., east of town.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Moore of Windsor, visited his father, Wm. W. Moore and other relatives Monday evening.

Miss Ruby Alice Kavanaugh, who teaches the Floridonia school, southwest of town, gave a Valentine party at her home Saturday afternoon. The guests enjoyed a Valentine box and various games were played. Those present were: Louise Kindle, Sue Reno, Nadene Reno, Junior Reno, Bobby Wharton, Elton Evans, Dotty Reno, Bobby Evans, Marjorie Reno, Marian Wharton, Billy Wharton and Imogene May. The hostess served refreshments.

Richard Shepherd of Kansas City, spent Wednesday with his mother, Mrs. Evire Shepherd, and his brother Frank.

A covered dish supper was enjoyed at the home of Miss Dorothy Mae Millikan Saturday evening. Guests were Misses Mary Lee Bagby, Betty Lou Elliott, Eleanor Woody, Martha Adams and Dorothy Wimer.

Martha Adams, Mary Grace Utley and Betty Lou Elliott, spent Monday night in Warrensburg with friends.

The Boy Scouts accompanied by Scoutmaster Howard Shafer and Ralph Henderson, assistant scoutmaster, also Dan Sauls, Richard Thurston and S. W. Wenger, attended the morning services at the Baptist church Sunday.

Funeral services for Samuel W. Simmons, age 87, who died at the home of his son-in-law, Ed Morgan, west of town, Sunday morning, were held Monday afternoon at the Latter Day Saint church, in charge of Elder W. S. Macrae of Warrensburg, assisted by Elder R. E. Burgess. Music was in charge of Mrs. Chas. Norman. Burial was in the Knob Noster cemetery. His wife and two daughters preceded him in death. Four sons and two daughters survive. Mr. Simmons was a missionary for 54 years in the Latter Day Saint church. Mr. Simmons has been living with Mr. and Mrs. Ed Morgan for several months and formerly lived in Texas and Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Casebolt of Kansas City, spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Wimer gave a turkey dinner at their home Sunday. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ditt, Mrs. Joe Ditt and daughter, Miss Marie of California, Mo., Mrs. Mary Wimer of La Monte, Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Wimer, Dorothy, Marjorie and Mary Elizabeth Wimer.

Mrs. Mary Jo McGuire, who is taking a nurse's training course at the General hospital in Kansas City, spent last week-end with her mother, Mrs. Sallie Foster, and her son, Foster McGuire.

Mrs. Virgie Bobbitt and daughter, Sue, visited in Kansas City Monday with their daughter and sister, who is in nurse's training at Bethany hospital.

Miss Kate Koch, who teaches in Marshall, spent last week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James A. Koch.

Mrs. Rebecca Brim celebrated her 88th birthday anniversary with a dinner at her home, Sunday. Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brim, Jr., and children and George Brim, Sr., of Higginsville, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Brim, daughter Anna May and son Paul of south of town, Miss Elizabeth Brim and Clark Shoemaker.

Knob Noster Panthers attended the invitational tournament at Missouri Valley College in Marshall Friday. Friday morning they played Richmond winning by a score of 28-26. Friday night they played Windsor losing by a score of 22-28. The Panthers received no placement in this tournament.

The Panthers played the Warrensburg high school on the hostess court Tuesday night, winning this game by a score of 35-15. Ralph Berry was high point man. They were accompanied by the pep squad.

Mrs. Roy Neighbors entertained members of her Sunday school class at her home Wednesday evening with a Valentine party.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Baird and son, Walter Williams, Jr., of Kansas City, came Sunday for a short visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Baird.

Mr. P. G. Uoy and Mrs. Ray Kelly shopped in Sedalia Tuesday.

Mrs. Eula Patton entertained members of the bridge club Tuesday afternoon at the home of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Charles F.

GOSH! I REMEMBER HIS FACE-BUT I CAN'T RECALL HIS NAME



But I'll Find Out Who He Is In The Get Acquainted Page

Get Acquainted Page

A Preview Showing Of 'Gone With The Wind' Gowns At Flowers' Thursday



Hundreds are expected to inspect a group of original costumes worn by Vivien Leigh, Clark Gable, Leslie Howard and other stars, in the inspiring "Gone With The Wind," when they are modeled at Flowers on Thursday, February 22 at 1:15 p. m.

The costumes — the same ones worn by Scarlett O'Hara, Rhett Butler and other characters in Margaret Mitchell's unforgettable story of the old South — are now on an extensive tour and have already been seen by hundreds of thousands of admiring fans in other cities.

They are being transported in a palatial float which was specially designed to house these valuable costumes.

The exhibit, which will be shown in conjunction with the showing of "Gone With The Wind" coming to the Liberty theatre soon, is the first of its kind ever to be sponsored in connection with a motion picture.

These include a green-sprigged muslin dress with a large leghorn hat worn by Vivien Leigh in several scenes; also a white organza

and tan bengaline and plaid dress which the bewitching Scarlett wears during the picture.

There is also the midnight blue evening suit with matching Inverness cape and top hat which Clark Gable wears and a dashing Confederate captain's uniform in which Leslie Howard appears. The other costumes are those worn by Olivia de Havilland, Ann Rutherford, Ona Munson, Laura Hope Crews and others.

All these costumes will be on display at Flowers.

They are masterpieces of the dressmaker's art and stunning creations of the designer's pen. Each has been carefully chosen as representative of the period in which the picture is laid. Months of research went into the clothes worn during the Civil War period before the first stitch was sewn.

Although thousands of costumes were used in the film and an approximate seven bales of cotton used in manufacturing them, the garments chosen for the exhibit are regarded as the finest examples of authentic Southern-Civil War period to be seen in the professional scenes; also a white organza

An Electrifying New Team



An artist depicts Spencer Tracy and Hedy Lamarr as they appear in "I Take This Woman," romance of New York, which is currently being shown on the Liberty screen for the next three days.

Cobert. There were two tables of players, Mrs. C. S. Elliott received the trophy for high score and Mrs. Max Ream the traveling award. Guests were, Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. Ream, Mrs. Perry Davis, Mrs. Joe Thompson, Mrs. Robert Thompson, Mrs. Ernest Jones, Mrs. A. C. Adams and Mrs. Dan Sauls.

Parents of a Daughter Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hammond, of route No. 1, Beaman, are the parents of a daughter born this (Tuesday) morning, February 20.

Will of Mrs. Shirley Is Filed For Probate The will of the late Mrs. Lena Irene Shirley was filed in the probate court. To her brothers, Edward Billo, of Pettis county and Clarence Billo, of Jefferson City, and nieces and nephews, Linnie Pickett, Cornelia Beckett, Willa Barker and Clyde Barker she left \$1 each, and the remain-

der to her husband, Samuel Shirley and daughter, Grace J. Townsend, share and share alike. The will was made December 11, 1934.

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Ellsworth Green Returns From Meeting

Ellsworth Green returned Sunday from a meeting of the Central States Work Conference of the Junior Chamber of Commerce in Des Moines, Iowa. He was accompanied by Sye Brisley, of the safety bureau of the highway department, who is in charge of the Junior Chamber safety program.

There were between 150 and 200 officers of local affiliates present from the following states: Missouri, Kansas, Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota, South Dakota and North Dakota.

Green, who is secretary of the local Chamber of Commerce, made a talk on "Civic Activities" on Saturday.

Endeavor To Raise Pork Price

ST. JOSEPH, Mo., Feb. 20.—(P)—Northwest Missouri hog raisers are willing to pay to make the public more pork conscious.

They agreed to an assessment of not more than five cents per head on all pork sold to packers. The money would be used in an advertising campaign seeking to increase the use of pork and thereby raise prices.

Livestock On Farms Increased

COLUMBIA, Mo., Feb. 20.—(P)—Livestock on Missouri farms January 1 increased 12 percent over a year ago, Thomas C. M. Robinson, assistant federal agricultural statistician, said today.

Hogs increased 18 percent, cattle 10 percent, and sheep 9 percent. Horses and mules remained the same.

Total value of the five species of livestock was estimated at \$205,453,000 compared with \$197,345,000 a year ago.

The estimated 524,000 head of horses was the same as last year and the smallest number since 1870.

Meeting for Tri-Community Club

The Tri-Community Extension club will hold its regular February meeting on Thursday evening February 22 at the Smelser school house. Miss Maude Merrick Boston is unable to attend this meeting as had been planned.

Members are requested to bring cookies.

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Lenten Services at St. Paul's Lutheran Church

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on Wednesday evening. Rev. H. H. Heidebreder, pastor, who has been ill, is improved and intends to give the sermon.

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Serial Story

The Captain's Daughter

By Helen Worden

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YESTERDAY, Mrs. Donovan lunches with Mrs. Martin, who suggests Dan's marriage to Lynda as the best way to unite the Donovan and Martin fortunes. Lynda interrupts the conversation. She is hardly settled when Dan arrives, with Marie.

CHAPTER XXIV

"NOW, you and I are going to have nothing but fun for the next two hours," said Dan to Marie, as he reached for the menu. "But before I even so much as order the clams, I'd like to hear your views on the situation." He twirled the menu card and waved the waiter aside. "Remember, though, every minute is precious. You've put your own time limit on this."

Marie smiled, but her eyes were serious. "I know, that's why I don't see what made you bring me here. You'll spend all your time talking to friends."

Dan drew crazy patterns on the table cloth with a fork.

"I suppose it does seem cockeyed coming to this noisy place, but it's home to me. I think I'd turn up here if I'd committed murder and the district attorney were sitting at the next table. I guess it's a habit."

He included the entire room with a single gesture. "Now, take these people here today. Ex-husbands and ex-wives are sitting table to table. Sweethearts and wives in the same party. Old husbands and new ones at the bar." He glanced around. "The Colony is sort of like a public place for confessing your sins and your pleasures."

He looked directly at Marie as he uttered the word, "pleasures."

"You are my pleasure, you know," he said. "But you're more than that, you're every breath I draw."

Marie was about to speak but the waiter interrupted.

Dan looked at her, mouth quirked up at the corners.

"I intend to start this thing off the right way," his eyes twinkled. "I'm going to do the ordering." He laughed. "I hope you like it. You can tell me later."

WHILE he discussed the menu with the waiter she sat back in an introspective mood, hardly aware of the people round her save, perhaps, the three women in the front of the room. Without

being told, she felt their antagonism. She knew that, whether they were looking at her this moment or not, they were thinking of her. Even a week at Varnet's had taught her something about women of this class.

But she felt strangely free of their criticism because she was neither asking nor taking away anything from them. In another hour and so many minutes she would be removed from their lives forever. That morning, after she left the barge, she had made up her mind that she belonged neither in the glamorous world of Varnet's frou-frou shop, nor Dan's skyrocketing circle. With a maturity far beyond her years she had decided that her attempt to merge the two worlds, had caused all the trouble. She was a barge girl; a canalboat captain's daughter and nothing more. However, there was nothing to prevent her from carrying back memories with her. Dan's voice came to her suddenly.

"Snap out of it," he begged. "Where were you? I'm jealous. I'd like to be there too."

"As a matter of fact you were there," she smiled. "I'm happy, are you?"

He caught her hand under the table. "Why do you ask?" She drew away. The thrill was so real it made her unhappy. She did not want to encourage anything so lovely, if it could not last.

"I know," he said, "you don't have to tell me. I'm eating humble pie. Everything else in the world—well, I'll never ask you if you love me—until—" he stopped.

"Until what?" "Ah, that I won't tell. It depends on you." He raised his cocktail glass. "To the happiest—"

"I'm sorry," Lynda's voice interrupted. "Do you two object to a threesome for a few moments?" She smiled gracefully.

"Certainly not," Dan rose to his feet, but there was no enthusiasm in his move. "Won't you sit down?"

Lynda settled in a chair opposite them. "I believe Miss La Porte and I have met before." Her voice was friendly, but her eyes were hard. "I've heard so much about your living on—"

Marie looked at her. "You mean my living on a barge? Yes, I guess you'd say I called a canalboat home. I was born and brought up on one—the same one," she added defiantly.

"Which is more than most New Yorkers can say," Dan added, "being born and raised in one place." "That's true," Lynda's tone had lost none of its graciousness. "But

canalboats are curious homes—where is yours, Miss La Porte?"

Marie laughed. "I don't think you could ever find it. It's on the East river. Does that mean anything to you?"

"No," Lynda spoke abstractedly. "Oh, I'm sorry, I must be running on, I see your mother and Auntie going, Dan." She jumped up. "I didn't want to leave without saying hello."

"Do you like her?" Marie asked, when Lynda had gone.

"I used to think I did, after a fashion," Dan admitted, "that is, until I met you, and then I knew it wasn't the real thing."

She was silent.

"A penny for your thoughts," they weren't important, just about you."

"I like that, of all the— And then they both laughed.

THE rest of the luncheon went this way, laughing over silly things that could mean nothing to anyone; but themselves; discovering that they shared a common antipathy to parsnips, banana cream pie and halless men who strolled through the streets with upturned overcoat collars, that each adored walking in the rain and that they both would rather tango and waltz than eat.

"Why, everybody's gone," cried Marie, looking up. "It must be terribly late." She glanced at Dan.

"I'm not even saying goodbye. I can't, I'm just going."

She got up. He rose with a defiant, "I don't care who sees us," put his arms around her and kissed her squarely on the mouth.

"I'm coming with you!"

"No, you promised—" She laughed and slipped away.

"You may call this goodbye—" he shouted, but she was gone.

Out on the street, she turned toward Lexington Avenue—bending her head as the wind whirled a cloud of snow about her. But she stopped as she heard someone, a girl, calling.

"Oh, Miss La Porte." It was Lynda Martin. "I—I don't know how to begin." She paused. "But, Dan is so young and foolish. I don't know how to explain, but he'll break his mother's heart, if—" "If what?" Marie's tone was sharp.

"If— It's so hard to explain—" Marie stared at her. "You mean if he doesn't marry you?"

"Yes."

Marie looked at Lynda coldly. "You don't need to worry. I'm not going to marry him. Good-by."

Lynda stood there staring after her until she had entirely vanished in the veil of white snow.

(To Be Concluded)

Cranium Crackers

Public Servants

You can't be expected to remember all of the 96 persons who represent you in the United States Senate. The missing names in the following sentences, however, are those of senators who have attracted enough national attention so that it should not be too difficult to fill in the blanks:

1. Senators Marvel M. Logan and Kentucky.
2. Both Senator Harry S. Truman and his colleague, Senator Missouri are Democrats.
3. Pennsylvania is represented

Stories in Stamps



Semi-Postals Provide Foreign Charity Funds

MANY foreign countries have adopted a simple formula for raising funds for various national causes—issue a stamp. Whether the money is needed to fight tuberculosis or to erect a monument, the stamp pays the bill.

Some of these issues have become annual releases, such as the Netherlands charity issue, above, with surtax designated for child welfare. This stamp was released in five values of one design.

Other countries devote the surtax to combatting tuberculosis, assisting youth, winter help, or other worthy charities. United States has never issued a stamp of this kind. The nearest U. S. counterpart is found in the sale of Christmas seals in the anti-tuberculosis campaign.



ITALY adds to the philatelist's railroad gallery with a series of three pictorials commemorating the centenary of railroading. The stamp, above, shows an antique locomotive beside a modern streamliner.

by Senators and James J. Davis.
4. Senators John F. Miller and Oklahoma come from
5. The Texas senators are Morris Sheppard and
Answers on Classified Page.

It is reported by petroleum refiners that more than 60,000,000 gallons of aviation gasoline, or 750,000,000 gallons a year, could be produced in this country with the equipment already in service.

Hatched at the National Zoological Park in Washington, D. C., Malcolm, first penguin of his species ever born in captivity, was given a birth certificate.

The state game department of the state of Idaho uses airplanes to drop salt over the countryside in the winter, to keep deer and elk healthy.

Small rodents are to be found in desert areas where rain does not fall for periods of several years.

Canal Builder

HORIZONTAL

1 Pictured canal builder, Ferdinand

9 He was in charge of building the Suez

13 At this place.

14 Born.

15 Astrigent.

17 To wander about.

18 Father.

19 Ruby.

21 Ancient deity.

23 To flatter.

26 Roof final.

28 To deposit.

29 Part of foot.

30 To bend the head.

31 Russian.

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35 Part of circle.

36 Bones.

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39 Lion.

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62 Dormouse.

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2 Exclamation.

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6 To endow.

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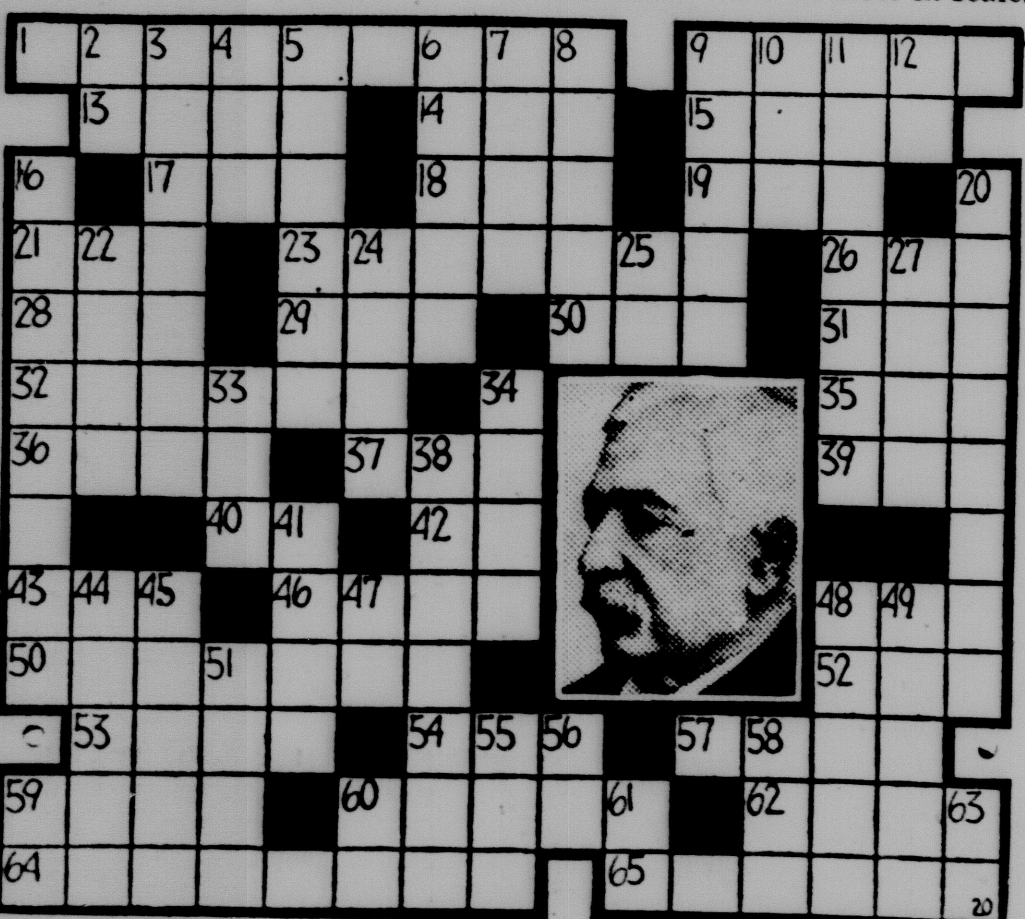
10 Malt drink.

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63 Note in scale.



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No. 19—Leave 9:25 p. m.

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No. 657—Daily except Sunday 5:30 a. m.
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No. 106—Leave 11:10 a. m.
No. 112—Leave 2:30 a. m.

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No. 105—Leave 2:50 a. m.
No. 103—Leave 8:35 a. m.
No. 107—Leave 1:00 p. m.
No. 109—Leave 7:00 p. m.

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Cattle and Grain Market

Chicago Live Stock

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 17,000; opened slow; closed fairly active; light weights mostly steady with Monday's average; medium and heavy butchers steady to strong; top \$5.60; bulk good and choice 180 to 220 pounds \$5.35 to \$5.60; 220 to 240 pounds \$5.25 to \$5.50; most 240 to 270 pound butchers \$4.25 to \$5.30; 270 to 320 pound averages generally \$4.75 to \$5.00; good 400 to 500 pound packing sows \$4.10 to \$4.50; light weights to \$4.65.

Cattle 7,500; calves 1,200; fed steers and yearlings strong to 25 cents higher; mostly \$8.50 to \$10.50 market with choice weighty steers at \$11.50 and strictly prime 985 pound yearlings \$12.75; most high since last June; heifers and cows \$10 to 13 cents up; bulls strong; vealers strong to 25 cents higher; light heifers \$9.75, mostly \$9.00 down on short fed crop; cutter cows \$5.00 and \$5.35; weighty sausage bulls \$7.00 to \$7.25; selected vealers selling at \$11.50 more freely; mostly \$10.00 to \$11.00; odd cattle offerings higher at \$7.50 to \$8.50; with good and choice light western yearlings \$9.10 to \$9.80; and better \$9.50 to \$10.00.

Sheep 6,000; fat lambs active early; early sales 25 cents higher, asking more; sheep 15 to 25 cents higher; good and choice woolled lambs to packers early \$9.50 to \$9.65; best woolled lambs \$9.75 upward; two double fed western slaughter ewes \$5.25 to \$5.50.

St. Louis Live Stock
EAST ST. LOUIS, Ill., Feb. 20.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs, total receipts 11,500; salable 10,500; market uneven; 220 pounds down 5 to 10 cents lower, few heavies steady, heavy sows 15 to 25 cents lower, lighter weights steady to shade lower; bulk good and choice 170 to 220 pounds \$5.50 to \$5.55; top \$5.60; few cars, tons unchanged; light mixed yearlings strong, cowstuff and bulk steady; vealers 50 cents higher, top \$11.50; heifers and mixed yearlings \$7.50 to \$9.00; beef cows \$5.25 to \$6.25; canners and cutters \$3.75 to \$5.00; top sausage bulls \$6.75; nominal range slaughter steers \$6.25 to \$11.00; slaughter heifers \$6.25 to \$10.25; stocker and feeder steers \$7.75 to \$9.50.

Sheep, total and salable 1,200; early receipts limited to truck-in lambs and a few sheep; market not established.

Kansas City Live Stock
KANSAS CITY, Feb. 20.—(AP)—(U. S. Department of Agriculture)—Hogs 2,500; slow, steady to mostly 5 cents lower than Monday's average; little done on heavies; top \$5.25; good to choice 170 to 250 pound weights \$5.00 to \$5.25; 140 to 160 pounds \$4.50 to \$5.25; sows \$3.75 to \$4.15; lights to \$1.50; stock pigs \$1.25 down.

Cattle 3,500; calves 400; beef steers and yearlings fairly active, steady to 15 cents higher; other killing classes of cattle steady to strong; vealers strong to 50 cents higher; choice light yearling stockers stronger; other stocker and feeder classes steady; numerous loads of medium and good grade fed steers early \$7.75 to \$9.50; few loads strictly good to choice held upward to \$10.00 and above; short fed heifers early \$7.50 to \$8.50; most fat cows \$5.25 to \$5.50; odd sausage bulls up to \$6.75; good to choice vealers \$8.00 to \$10.50; four loads choice 500 pound short yearling stockers \$10.50; well bred feeders \$8.40.

Sheep 4,000; lambs fairly active, generally 10 to 25 cents higher; early top fed lambs \$9.35, some held higher; other fed lots \$9.00 to \$9.35.

Wheat Soars On Chicago Market

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Wheat prices shot up dizzily 5 cents a bushel from early lows in closing minutes of trade today to the highest level since early January.

Similar to the sharp advance last Friday, the quick upturn carried May contracts to \$1.07, up 4 1/2 cents overnight and within about 3 cents of the season high established early in the year. July contracts soared to \$1.01 1/2 and September to \$1.05 1/2. Traders attributed buying to indications of intensified sea warfare.

Earlier prices fluctuated moderately about and below previous closing levels. Wheat finished 1 1/2 to 2 1/2 cents higher, May \$1.04 1/2 to \$1.04 1/2, July \$1.02 1/2 to \$1.02 1/2, corn 1/4 to 1/2 cent higher, May 57 1/2 to 57 1/2, July 57 1/2; oats unchanged to 1/2 cent higher.

Kansas City Cash Grain

KANSAS CITY, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Wheat: 26 cars, tone 1/2 cent lower to 3/4 cents higher. No. 2 dark hard \$1.02 1/2 to \$1.03 1/2; No. 3, nominal 97 1/2 to \$1.04 1/2; No. 2 hard \$1.00 1/2 to \$1.01; No. 2 red \$1.00 1/2 to \$1.01 1/2.

Corn: May 55 1/2; Sept. 57 1/2; July 57 1/2 to 57 1/2; Sept. 57 1/2.

Oats: None cars; tone 1/4 to 1/2 cent lower. No. 2 white 43 1/2 to 44; No. 3, nominal 42 1/2 to 43 1/2.

St. Louis Grain Market

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Cash:

Wheat: 6 cars, steady, No. 3, \$1.07. Corn: 5 cars, unchanged to 1/2 cent lower; No. 2 yellow 55 1/2.

Answers to Cranion Crackers

Questions on Comle Page.

1. Senators Marvel M. Logan and Alben W. Barkley represent Kentucky.

2. Both Senator Harry S. Truman and his colleague, Senator Bennett Champ Clark of Missouri, are Democrats.

3. Pennsylvania is represented by Senators Joseph F. Guffey and James J. Davis.

4. Senators John E. Miller and Hattie Caraway come from Oklahoma.

5. The Texas senators are Morris Sheppard and Tom Connally.

Chicago Grain Table

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—(AP)—

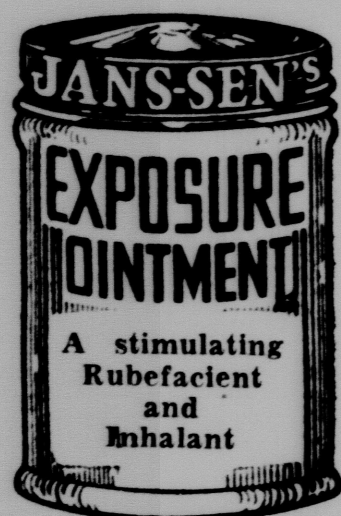
WHEAT—High Low Close Mon. May \$1.07 \$1.01 1/2 \$1.04 1/2 \$1.02 1/2 July 1.04 1/2 1.06 1/2 1.02 1/2 Sept 1.05 1/2 .99 1/2 1.02 1/2 1.00 1/2

CORN—May .57 1/2 .56 1/2 .57 1/2 .56 1/2 July .57 1/2 .56 1/2 .57 1/2 .57 Sept .58 1/2 .57 1/2 .58 1/2 .57

OATS—May

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Boy Scout Notes



Troop 53 met at Jefferson school Thursday night at 6 p. m. and divided into the Beaver and Tiger patrols and worked on our Scout Knots and laws and other parts of our Tenderfoot test. Mr. Walker was present.

Ray Harold Murray, Scribe.

Notice To Scouts

The regular monthly Board of Review will be held the fourth Monday night of each month instead of the second Monday on account of advancement for troop rating which is counted from the Board of Review reports. Therefore the next Board of Review will be February 26.

Troop 54 held its regular meeting at the First M. E. church on February 12. Our assistant scoutmaster, Phil Kain as usual was in charge. The meeting opened with the Scout Oath and pledge to the Flag. We received a new flag at a previous meeting. The remainder of the meeting was devoted to drills and passing tests. Scouts Don Lamm and Lee Peabody passed their first class tests while several other Scouts passed parts of the second and first class tests. There was an unsatisfactory number of scouts present. We would like to have more of our members present. The troop was called to attention and dismissed. Next meeting will be Monday 19 at 7:30.

Kenneth Forbes, Scribe.

Scouter Bills Says:

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up on their toes. They're a fine group of men—these scoutmasters, and I'm glad to see the boys appreciate them.
We should all feel proud, too, of our newest Eagle scout, Jack Dedrick. He's done a lot of hard work and deserves all the credit we can give him. I only wish more scouts in Sedalia were like him.
Troop 67 won the banner for attendance at the Court of Honor. We congratulate them and hope they will like their banner.
Scouter Bill.

Troop 55 attended the Court of Honor instead of having a meeting but will have a meeting next week.
Wayne Shaw, Scribe.

Cub Pack 56 met at Mrs. Wolfe's house and she stamped our Cub insignia on our neckerchiefs so that our mothers can embroider them in blue. We played Ring Toss on the board we made. We are going to have an orchestra and make our own instruments. Ira Blair will be our director. One of our requirements for our next meeting is to be able to know 10 birds.

Harvey LeRoy May, Scribe.

Cub Pack 56 met at Mrs. Harold's Thursday evening at 4:30 p. m. We put some stencils on the new neckerchiefs. We played the game Old Grady and then were dismissed.

Jackie Colt, Scribe.

Troop 51 opened its meeting with Scout Kenneth Clark leading the scout oath, the scout laws by Scout Dick Morgan and the oath to the flag by Scout Jack Smith. The scoutmaster gave each member a can of coconuts and a small catalogue. The troop dismissed with the Lord's prayer.

Harold Fimple, Scribe.
T. J. Cannon, Asst. Scribe.

Troop 57 met in Room 107 at the high school Monday afternoon. There were 11 scouts present and Scoutmaster Husbands. We discussed our new meeting place which will be at the Broadway Methodist church. Our next meeting will be Monday, Feb. 19, 1940. Sunday we went to church in a group. Nine scouts, Scoutmaster Husbands, and one committeeman, Mr. Dedrick, were present. Over the weekend we held two hikes. One Saturday to Good Will chapel, and one Sunday after church to the same place.
Jack Dedrick, Acting Scribe.

Troop 59 met Monday night at the Elks lodge at 7:30. We had 21 scouts present. Eight are already members and the others are going to join. The meeting began with the scout oath and laws led by Ellwood Paxton. The meeting was in charge of Dr. Lively and Dr. Gouge. We divided into three patrols. The three patrol leaders are: Harry Paxton, Gerald Weaver, Carl John Berry. Those in Carl John Berry's patrol are: Scouts Marvin Kanter, Bobby Reed, Buddy Fimple, Dale Henderson, Paul Miller and Wilbur Van Tye. Harry Paxton's patrol has Scouts Armand Weaver, Billy Bob Hogan, Ralph Hedrick, Carl Wilson and Little Sevier. Gerald Weaver's patrol has Scouts Wallace McCown, Lloyd Perkins, Louis Schenheimer, Don Harvey, John Sevier is assistant patrol leader. We played ping pong for a while. The meeting ended with the scoutmaster's benediction led by Ellwood Paxton.
Gerald Weaver, Scribe.

Troop 60 didn't have a meeting this week as we attended the Court of Honor Monday night.
Gene Fullerton, Scribe.

Troop 61 met at Mark Twain on Thursday, February 15 with 15 scouts present. The meeting was opened with the scout oath and laws led by Scout John Whiteman. We divided into two teams and played basketball, dodge ball and had some basketball relays. The meeting closed with the scoutmaster's benediction.
Dick Shea, Scribe.

Troop 65 went to the Court of Honor Monday instead of having a meeting. There were various merit badges and tests passed. Several troops were represented. They closed with the scoutmaster's benediction.
Billy Middleton, Scribe.

Troop 67 met Friday, February 16 at Horace Mann. This meeting was a little bit different than the others. We are having a Mothers' and Dads' Night Friday, February 23. Not only scouts' mothers and fathers are invited but people who are interested in scouting are also invited. Sunday February 11 our troop went to the Christian church as a body of scouts. Monday, February 12 we went to the Court of Honor. From our troop there were nine scouts to pass their second class requirements. At the Court of Honor our troop won the attendance award. Out of thirteen boys in our troop twelve were present. We received a banner as the attendance award. Our visitors were Troy Rimel, John England, Harry Seidler and Bobby Nease. Mr. Morrow is in charge of the meeting.
Norman Fulton, Scribe.

Mark Twain troop met Thursday, Feb. 15 at Mark Twain school after school. A good many tests were passed under the direction of E. R. Peterson. Some of the boys went to see the streamliner and the ones that didn't stayed at school and passed tests and played basketball afterwards.
Billy Meuschke, Scribe.

Air Cleared At Recent Ball Meeting

Nearer Solution Of Major And Minor League Problems

By WHITNEY MARTIN

NEW YORK, Feb. 20.—(AP)—The recent baseball meetings at Belleair, Fla., aside from putting pitchers on a free-wheeling basis, did much to clear the air of the haze of apprehension which followed Commissioner Landis' seven-point bulletin.

In fact, Ford Frick sees the path finally opening toward a clearer understanding of major and minor league problems, and he gives the commissioner credit for the improved condition.

Road To Solution

"The meeting was highly satisfactory," the National League president says, "and I really believe we are at least on the road to a solution of our problems."

"Much credit must go to Mr. Landis. He cooperated 100 per cent at the Belleair meeting. In fact, he even seemed to lean over backwards in his efforts to be fair."

"I think, also, that he gained a better understanding of the problems of the club owners, and his willingness to compromise on two major points indicates as much."

"Mr. Landis primarily is interested in the protection of the individual ball player. Everything he does pertaining to farm clubs and working agreements hinges on that."

Could Be Held Down

"As a matter of fact, according to the present rules a player could be held down in the minors because the major league club which controlled him had no place for him on its own roster. I say it could be done, but it isn't."

"There are any number of men in the majors who came up through farm systems of other clubs. Paul Derringer, for instance, came up through the Cardinal system, as did Bill Lee. Eddie Miller is a product of the Yankee system, as is Joe Gallagher."

"No, they aren't held down, but the fact remains that they could be under our present rules. It wouldn't be easy to keep a star covered up in the minors even now, though."

"Anyway, the players who might raise a fuss to the effect that they were being kept in the minors are the ones who never would make major leaguers anyway."

Banks To Close

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Says Dodgers Will Be Better

CLEARWATER, Fla., Feb. 20.—(AP)—Larry MacPhail, obviously pleased with his Brooklyn ball club strengthening deals, predicted today the Dodgers will be better this year than last.

For the president of the Flatbush Fusiliers the prediction was the same as saying the National league pennant fight this season will be between his Dodgers and some other club.

"Which team in the National league has improved itself more than us since last season?" asked MacPhail looking with pride over his spring training squad.

Brooklyn finished in third place last year, 12-1-2 games behind the champion Cincinnati Reds. Five or six games "better" this campaign probably would put the Dodgers close enough to feel the pennant, if not carry it home to Flatbush.

To bolster a weak hitting outfield, MacPhail bought veteran Joe Vosmik from the Boston Red Sox; signed Roy Cullenbine, made a Detroit free agent by Commissioner K. M. Landis recently; and brought up slugging Calvin Chapman from Nashville of the Southern Association.

"Everybody is yelling about Benny McCoy," said MacPhail, "but when he and Cullenbine played on the same club in the American Association and looked at the same pitching, Cullenbine had the biggest batting average. The boy's big, fast and can throw. I'm satisfied he'll make good for us."

MacPhail, checking over last year's pitching records, hopes his mound staff will get a few breaks this season.

Manager Leo Durocher and MacPhail have 19 players at camp here who weren't with the club last year.

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Tigers Will Play Columbia Here Tonight

Injuries And Illness May Hamper Tigers; Sanders Hurts Knee

Injuries and illness may keep two of Smith-Cottons basketball players out of the game here with Columbia tonight.

Tommy Sanders, forward, was unable to practice last night because of a twisted knee and may not see service. Melvin Winrod, who plays both guard and forward, was not in school yesterday and is believed to be ill.

Charles Thompson or Leland Thomas will be used if Sanders cannot play.

Coach Donald Davenport worked his players on both offense and defense in preparation for the game.

The Kewpies who defeated Sedalia earlier in the season, will be headed by Bangert and Burnett who led their team in scoring against the Tigers.

At 7 o'clock the junior high team will play the sophomores. The senior game will start at 8 o'clock.

Fix Night Games For Cardinals

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 20.—(AP)—Dates for the Cardinals' seven night games in St. Louis were announced today, with the Brooklyn Dodgers leading off under the lights on Tuesday, June 4.

The other National league teams will play here at night as follows: Boston, Tuesday, June 11; Cincinnati, Tuesday, July 2; New York, Thursday, July 11; Philadelphia, Wednesday, July 17; Pittsburgh, Wednesday, August 14, and Chicago, Wednesday, September 4.

The lighting plant now under construction at Sportsman's park as a joint venture of the Cardinals and the Browns, will be ready about the middle of May. The Browns, who open a two-week home stand May 14, have not yet announced their night schedule.

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Results Of Fights On Monday Night
NEWARK — Jack Marshall, 193 Dallas, Tex., outpointed Valentine Campolo, 223, Argentina (10).
BALTIMORE — Louis (Kid) Cocca, 148 1/2, Puerto Rico, outpointed Tony Martin, 148 3/4 Milwaukee (10).
NEW YORK — Bobby Ruffin, 127 3/4, Long Island City, outpointed Lee Harper, 128 1/2, Port Arthur, Tex. (8).
MIAMI BEACH, Fla. — Tony Musto, 197, Chicago, knocked out Johnny Risko, 201, Cleveland (3).

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